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### This Week—

By M. I. N. I.

As Congress prepares to wind up its session and go home, the War and Navy Departments are well under way with their estimates to be presented to the next session for appropriations for the fiscal year 1937. Congressmen, your observations of world affairs should lead you to deal simply with the peace-assurance departments of the Government.

The achievements of General Pershing are to be honored by the French who will plant "Pershing oaks" in village squares of French towns liberated by American troops. St. Mihiel, Chateau Thierry, Belleau, Montfaucon, Fer en Ardenois and many other towns vibrant in American history will care for and cherish living symbols of the strength and genius of the great American.

Panama welcomes Rear Adm. Albert Marshall, USN, who has taken over command of the vital 15th Naval District. With the Fleet Concentration off the Canal next summer your post will be doubly important, Admiral.

Off to England: Col. Horace Fuller, 4, and Capt. Townsend Griffiss, AC, military attaché and assistant military attaché, respectively, to London. Bon voyage, but we'll miss you.

The courts continue to uphold the constitutional requirements of willingness to bear arms on the part of those applying for citizenship. Mrs. Gertrude Mas, a British subject, found this out last week with the result that she remains a British subject.

A salute to Lieutenants Howart T. Miller and Raymond F. Tyler, Navy balloons, who are carrying the American flag in the international balloon race Poland next month. Best of luck!

Command of the Chemical Warfare School at Edgewood Arsenal, Md., passed Col. Charles R. Alley, CWS, this week, to Maj. Howard C. Davidson, AC, who took over command of Rockwell Field, Calif. A hearty welcome awaited both.

A welcome to Rear Adm. Charles Howard (SC), USN, who took his oath of office as Paymaster General of the Army and Chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts. A huge task, keeping the varied expenditures of the Department in ship shape order.

Sentimental attachments mourned the loss of the old Academic Area now being used at the Infantry School, Ft. Benning. Most of the Army's infantry officers were trained in its old wooden buildings. But the Army moves on and modern well-equipped buildings will take its place.

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### Boards to Select Navy Staff Officers Named

Appointment of two Staff Corps selection boards to recommend for promotion officers of the grades of lieutenant, junior grade, through commander, were announced by the Navy Department this week.

Rear Adm. Richard M. Watts, CC, USN, was named president of a Construction Corps selection board, which will convene, Aug. 26. The board will select four commanders for promotion to captain, from among six officers eligible. As the result of the passage of the recent Staff Corps personnel act, the Construction Corps is allowed four additional captains. Signal Nos. 8381 to 8386, inclusive, are eligible for advancement. The board will also select as many lieutenants and lieutenants, junior grade, who are eligible for selection, as are deemed fit for promotion. Lieutenants, with Signal Nos. 8500 to 8510, inclusive, and lieutenants, junior grade, with Signal Nos. 8548 to 8570, are eligible.

The other board appointed, to meet next month, will select officers of the Supply Corps for advancement to the next higher grade. One commander, ten lieutenant commanders, such lieutenants and lieutenants, junior grade, as are deemed fit for promotion, will be selected by the board. Seven commanders, Signal Nos. 7751 to 7757, inclusive, 31 lieutenant commanders, Signal Nos. 7781 to 7811, inclusive, and 37 lieutenants, junior grade, Signal Nos. 8146 to 8172, are eligible for promotion. The Signal numbers of the lieutenants eligible for advancement are as follows: Nos. 8072, 8091, 8092, 8093, 8094, 8095, 8100, 8103, and 8110 to 8135, inclusive. The scattered lieutenants eligible for advancement are officers who had made their number for advancement under the old seniority system, but as they had not yet been commissioned, must stand selection.

Selection boards are to be convened in the Medical Corps, Dental Corps, Chaplain Corps, and Civil Engineering Corps, as the result of the passage of the Staff personnel bill. Personnel of these boards and the dates they will meet have not as yet been set.

In addition to Admiral Watt, the membership of the Construction Corps selection board will consist of Rear Adm. Emory S. Land, CC, USN, Capt. William G. DuBoise, CC, USN, Capt. Henry Williams, CC, USN, Capt. Clayton M. Slimmers, CC, USN, and Capt. Edwin G. Kintner, CC, USN. Lt. Comdr. Paul R. Nibecker, CC, USN, is recorder.

Members of the Supply Corps board are: Rear Adm. Joseph J. Cheatham, SC, USN, president, Capt. George C. Schafer, SC, USN, Capt. David V. Chadwick, SC, USN, Capt. Ray Spear, SC, USN, Capt. Henry deF. Mel, SC, USN, and Capt. Frank Baldwin, SC, USN. Lt. Comdr. Murrey L. Royar, SC, USN, is recorder.

### Retired Pay Rights

Decision by Judge Crouch of the Court of Appeals in New York holding that the retired pay of a New York policeman is a contract that cannot be disturbed has been made the basis of appeals to Congress to authorize the payment to retired Government employees of the cuts taken from them under the economy regime. In the New York case it was held that once retired the retired pay of the officer is inviolable but that until he actually is retired it is subject to change or even revocation at the will of the legislature.

Recognition of this principle by Congress, it is held, would restore all the pay withheld officers and enlisted men of the services who were retired prior to the enactment of the economy act.

Col. A. T. Marix, USMC-Ret, president of the Retired Officers' Association, and Col. Frank D. Ely, USA-Ret, a member of the Association's board of general counselors, both have written to Senator Barbour regarding the matter. The text of these letters follows:

Colonel Marix's Letter  
"My dear Senator Barbour:  
"There has recently appeared in the (Continued on Next Page)

### New Army Promotions are Announced En Bloc

The War Department this week tendered promotions to all the captains, Majors and lieutenant colonels whose nominations were confirmed last week to be majors, lieutenant colonels, and colonels, respectively, with the exception of those already ordered retired.

Thus these officers, all of whose names were published in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of August 17, will be advanced to the next higher grade immediately upon acceptance and the taking of the oath of office. Inasmuch as reports from all the physical examinations are not yet in those who have not been officially qualified will be promoted conditionally. If they fail they will be entitled to retire with the higher grade just as usual.

The announcement of the promotions was in the form of memorandums from the Adjutant General's office to the Chief of Arms and Services. This form of action was said to be without precedent in Army history. No official orders will be issued until all the promotions are effected. The promotions of second and first lieutenants will follow in short order, it was said.

The text of the three memorandums issued this week follows:

"August 17, 1935.

"Subject: Promotion.  
"1. The War Department on August 16, 1935, tendered promotions to Colonel, of all Lieutenant Colonels, shown in the April 20, 1935, Army List and Directory, to Henry W. Baird, No. 174 inclusive, except the following:

"No. 31, Andrew J. White, AGD, to be retired.

"No. 54, Harry Hawley, Inf, to be retired. (Please turn to Page 1124)

### Attention to Defense Marks 74th Congress

A noteworthy record was written in the annals of national defense by the 74th Congress during the session just ending. Record peace-time budgets were approved for the Army and Navy, with the naval shipbuilding program being carried forward on schedule and provision made for personnel increases for both services.

Not the least of the actions of the 74th Congress was enactment of several measures which have already done much toward building up the morale of the armed services. Besides the restoration of the pay cut, there was enacted legislation stabilizing rental and subsistence allowances and another measure to assure the resumption of longevity pay increases.

The Army received a potent contribution to improved morale and efficiency in the enactment of the Sheppard promotion bill, greatly alleviating stagnated conditions resulting from the World War. For the Navy there was passed legislation preventing wholesale elimination of World War lieutenants for whom there was no room in the upper grades, and to some extent remedying the unfortunate conditions wrought by the selection laws. An increase in naval officer strength was approved with higher percentages provided for the upper grades, and the enrollment at both service academies was enlarged. The enlisted strength of the Navy was boosted 10,000 and the Army by 46,250.

While these major measures were approved a number of important issues remain for settlement at the next session. Two of these are of great importance to the morale of the enlisted ranks. The reenlistment bonus, one of the last of the Economy Act provisions still in effect, was continued for another year. Hopes are held that this can be repealed next winter. Then as for the Army, an increase of men in the higher non-commissioned rating was sorely needed and aggravated to some extent by the addition of 46,250 recruits with no expansion of the upper enlisted grades. Legislation to remedy this condition is expected to engage the attention of Congress at the next session.

The Marine Corps, which did not fare as well as the other two services, will be seeking an increase in enlisted men for next year. Also of importance to the Corps is legislation already passed by the House to repeal Section 16 of the Marine Corps personnel act so as to provide enforced retirement of majors and lieutenant colonels not selected for promotion and give pay increases to officers promoted. Although opposition to the measure blocked action in the Senate, it is expected to be fought out next winter.

A major legislative consideration for the Coast Guard will be the proposed selection system, now pending in the House and Senate. Extended hearings have been promised for this far-reaching measure, now facing almost unanimous opposition in the service. (Continued on Next Page)

## Press Sees Danger of World Conflict in Italian-Ethiopian Trouble

Danger of another World War is seen by many newspapers of this country in the complications surrounding the trouble between Italy and Ethiopia. A number of the editors who consider wide-spread conflict likely, are doubtful that the United States could stay out of it, if it comes. Others, however, take the view that the people of the United States learned their lesson in the last war and will not become involved.

"After all, Ethiopia is a long way off and maybe all this talk about a danger to the world from the fighting of Italy and Ethiopia may be foolishness," comments the Raleigh, N. C. *News and Observer*. "Certainly it may be. But who in the world would have supposed that a quarrel between big Austria and little Serbia would have involved the world. \*\*\*Indeed, today, as in 1914, a little incident, a trifling conflict might upset that balance of power which is really the balance of fear. And if it should be upset, as it was this month 21 years ago, the chances of American escape from involvement would be even less than they were then."

"Ethiopia is a long way off, but this has become a very little world."

"There is dynamite in the Italo-Ethiopian situation," states the Savannah, Ga. *News*. "Reports are that Ethiopia may get some of its war supplies from Japan. Shipments of arms could very easily lead to an incident that would draw Japan into the war. Bad feeling has already been generated between Italy and England because of the efforts of England to avert the war between Italy and Ethiopia. The League of Nations has been able to do nothing to dissuade Mussolini from his course. \*\*\* If war does break out, it can easily start another world conflagration."

"Mussolini's imperialistic venture endangers not only the Continent but the entire British Empire," the Louisville *Courier-Journal* says.

"Great Britain's stake in Ethiopia, the headwaters of the Blue Nile, is not the only consideration however important that is. India is aroused over the impending conflict. The Arabs of the Near East are in sympathy with the Ethiopians. The whole of Africa is threatened with a conflict between the Black and White races. A conflagration on three continents may easily spread from an unprovoked war of conquest such as Mussolini is preparing."

"While Italy and Ethiopia are making preparations for war, and neutrals are making arrangements for the withdrawal of their nationals to places of safety,

there is little apprehension in this country that the Washington government will become involved," declares the Peoria, Ill. *Journal-Transcript*.

"Even if all Europe is sucked into the maelstrom of war, the United States, it is firmly believed, would remain neutral. \*\*\*Undoubtedly, in the event of a general war in Europe, the United States would suffer along with the rest, but it would not send an expeditionary army to Europe, and it would not lend money to combatants, even if the objective were to make the world idealistically safe for democracy."

"Our proximity to realism has made us wary. We know now that the promise is no stronger than the promisor and that 'war profits' are war losses under this disguise. We may never collect war debts due us, but suspending war loans, we will save this country from any further misadventure in international terrorism."

The Waco, Texas *News* states: "Public opinion in Italy is so keyed up to the idea of a war of conquest that Mussolini might have extreme difficulty in backing away from it even if territorial or other concessions were granted Italy to stay her hand. \*\*\*The war movement has gained such momentum in Italy, largely through the fiery utterances of Mussolini himself, that sheer momentum may be too strong to resist. But such a conflict, in view of the elaborate machinery set up in the name of permanent peace, would be an indictment of present-day civilization. An anxious world, realizing a possible long train of complications, hopes no stone will be left unturned to hold the mad dog of Rome in check."

"The inability of the League of Nations to take hold of the dispute between Ethiopia and Italy is sufficient to convince everyone that the Geneva institution is completely impotent, and especially since it has been flouted by Japan and Germany also," states the Kansas City *Journal-Post*.

"The fact that the British, after taking Germany's colonies, protested against a little land grabbing by Mussolini throws Italy into a justifiable rage. It is an instance of a very sooty pot calling a mildly besmirched kettle black."

"Italy was cheated at the Versailles conference and Mussolini became dictator as a result of repeated promises to rectify the swindle. He has to make good, and he put off this resort to force until domestic dangers forced him into it."

"England had no need of those German colonies. She could have prevented this possibility of another European war and this threat to white control of Africa by 'divvying up' with Italy."

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ability, tact, judgment, physical endurance, and general officer-like qualities and abilities far beyond the requirements of his rating." So speaks Secretary Swanson in commending Chief Bontswain's Mate John N. Thielman, USN, for rendering assistance to and salvaging the schooner "Seth Parker." It's the stuff the service is made of, Mr. Secretary.

### Congress' Record

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The Reserve components of the Army and Navy will have important measures before Congress next winter. The Thomason bill, providing one year active duty tours and opportunity for appointment to the Regular Army of Reserve officers, has passed both houses in different form with considerable pressure for adoption despite budgetary objections, which of course circumstances may remove. A special subcommittee of the House Naval Affairs Committee has been named to review the whole question of the strength and function of the Naval Reserve during the Fall, and legislation may be expected materially revising this branch of the defense forces.

A continuation of the naval building program, with the replacement of at least one battleship, will be on the session's legislative program, as will be provision for increase of the air arms of both the Army and Navy. Appropriations may be sought for construction of air bases in accordance with the terms of an authorization bill passed this past session. There will also be considered legislation revising the system of temporary advanced rank for Army Air Corps officers.

### Retired Pay

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New York *Sun* under date of August 8, 1935, a very interesting and illuminating article headed: "Pension Distinctions." From the article it would appear that all Federal employees who had been retired prior to the stoppage of retired pay made during the Administration of Ex-President Hoover, and continued by the 'Economy Bill' passed under the present Administration, had lost a certain proportion of their retired pay, illegally, if the ruling of Judge Crouch, Judge of the Court of Appeals in New York State, is in keeping with the law covering this question.

"While this office has no knowledge

of the number of Federal employees other than those of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Public Health Service, we do know that in the organizations just mentioned, there was in round numbers over 6,000 commissioned officers who had been retired and a very large number of enlisted men, and in behalf of this Association's representatives, and those of the enlisted men, which it does not represent, we urge upon you with great sincerity that you give this question a sufficient amount of your time to make a thorough study of it, and that if you are convinced that the cut in retired pay was illegally made, that you take the necessary steps for the introduction in Congress of the United States of a bill that would tend to right the wrong which has apparently been committed.

"While we are urging that you introduce this bill, we go a step further and ask that you interest yourself in seeing that such a bill is enacted into law. By so doing you will certainly have endeared yourself in the hearts of all Federal employees who have suffered under what is apparently a grave injustice, and, furthermore, you will have the satisfaction of knowing that it was through your efforts that a grievous wrong perpetrated by those in power has been corrected.

"With very kind regards, and assuring you of our profound respect, we are,

"Respectfully yours,

"RETIRED OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION,  
"A. T. MARIX, Col. USMC-Ret.,  
"President."

Colonel Ely's Letter

"Dear Senator Barbour:

"We who retired prior to the cuts made in retired pay had closed our contracts, and (quoting Judge Crouch) our 'mere expectancy created by the law' on retirement became thereby 'vested rights'—contracts which cannot be disturbed.' Therefore no more right existed to cut our retired pay than existed to cut the legal interest rate on U. S. bonds—which was not done. We retired employees bought an income from the Government on its own specific terms, paying for it in service, many of us a whole lifetime, while many suffered wounds, disease, and even death in that service. Bond buyers similarly 'buy an income,' paying for it merely in gold. The Economy Bill in effect placed gold before merit!

"I wish you would take up this matter with a view to correcting the wrong done. As a member of the Military Committee this does not go into some

one's else prerogatives; and if you will do this you will win the esteem of all men and women who believe in the right, and you will win the undying affection of all retired officers of all services and of all retired Government employees. You will also—what is most of all—be doing a right thing to correct a grievous wrong perpetrated by those then in power.

"Sincerely yours,

"FRANK D. ELY."

### Test GHQAF Equipment

Complete instructions covering the conduct of quarterly tests of General Headquarters Air Force military equipment are contained in a memorandum now being distributed from the GHQAF headquarters at Langley Field, Va., over the signature of Brig. Gen. Frank Andrews, USA, commanding.

The instructions set forth in detail the manner of reports to be made as the result of tests to be conducted during the first two weeks of each quarter.

### Pass USNA Graduate Bill

Legislation authorizing the commissioning of graduates of the Naval Academy, class of 1933, was passed Aug. 22, when the House approved Senate bill 2521.

The measure provides that members of the class of 1933 who were either honorably discharged or resigned may be appointed before Nov. 1, 1935. They will go at the bottom of the list of ensigns. Later in the day the Senate agreed to minor House amendments.

### Pass Thomason Bill

The revised Thomason bill, providing one year's active duty annually for 1,000 Reserve officers and for the commissioning each year of 50 Reserve officers as second lieutenants in the Regular Army, was passed by the Senate Aug. 22.

House concurrence with the Senate amendments was hoped for by some adherents of the measure prior to adjournment, but up to a late hour yesterday, that body had not acted. A possible Presidential veto awaits the measure, as the Bureau of the Budget opposed the original bill, which, however, would have cost considerably more money than in its present form.

### P. C. Engineer

Quarry Heights, Canal Zone—Lt. Col. Stuart C. Godfrey, CE, has been announced as Engineer, Panama Canal Department.

### Service Sons to West Point

Seventy-six sons of officers and enlisted men of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps were designated this week by President Roosevelt from the United States at Large for the March 3, 1936 entrance examination with a view to admission to the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., on July 1, 1936. In addition the President also selected 23 candidates under the provision of the act of June 8, 1936 from among the sons of deceased veterans of the World War.

The sons of the service are as follows:

Sidney Vincent Bingham, Jr., son of Maj. S. V. Bingham, USA, Hq. Fort Bliss, Texas.  
Russell deWalt Akins, son of Capt. R. C. Akins, USA, Fayetteville, Ark.

Frank Carleton Anderson, son of Comdr. A. B. Anderson, USN, U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

Frederick Lelf Andrews, son of M. S. John Andrews, USA, Sioux City, Iowa.

Burton C. Andrus, Jr., son of Capt. B. C. Andrus, USA, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Henry H. Arnold, Jr., son of Lt. Col. H. Arnold, USA, March Field, Calif.

John C. Benton, son of late 1st Lt. John W. Benton, USA, c/o Mrs. Kate L. Benton Redding, Calif.

William Bernard Bremen, son of late Test Sgt. John Bremen, USA, Aberdeen, Md.

Charles Cassidy, son of Chief Machinist P. H. Cassidy, USN, San Diego, Calif.

Charles Hosmer Chapin, Jr., son of late Maj. Charles Hosmer Chapin, USA-Ret., Los Angeles, Calif.

Joseph M. Cole, Jr., son of Capt. J. M. Cole, USA, Ft. Tilden, N. Y.

Albert Samuel Dalby, son of Maj. Albert E. Dalby, USA-Ret., St. Louis, Mo.

Stanley Owen Davis, son of Comdr. Henry F. D. Davis, USN, Navy Yard, Philadelphia, Pa.

Peter K. Dilts, son of Capt. Howard Dilts, USA, Pvt., West Point Preparatory School, Ft. Totten, N. Y.

Irvine Paul Doane, son of Maj. I. E. Doane, USA, 101st Inf., Mass. NG, Boston, Mass.

William Harold Duckworth, son of Comdr. Harry Duckworth, USA, Lexington, Ky.

John Zachariah Endress, son of late Capt. Wm. F. Endress, USA, Berkeley, Calif.

Walter Joseph Fellens, son of Warrent Officer Robert A. Fellens, USA, Ft. S. Houston, Tex.

James P. Forsyth, son of M. Sgt. James W. Forsyth, USA-Ret., Leavenworth, Kan.

James Louis Fritsche, son of Capt. J. Fritsche, USA-Ret., Scottsbluff, Neb.

Charles Crain Gaston, son of Lt. Col. John Gaston, USA-Ret., The Citadel, Charleston, S. C.

Gage E. Glass, son of Lt. Col. R. R. Glass, USA, c/o Lt. Col. R. Glass, USA, Hq. CA, Atlanta, Ga.

Philip Sheridan Golderman, son of Col. S. Golderman, USA-Ret., North Hollywood, Calif.

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### The Journal Salutes

This week the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL salutes:

Maj. Gen. Robert U. Patterson, former surgeon general of the Army, who has been selected as dean of the University of Oklahoma Medical School.

Comdr. William A. Corn, USN, commanding the USS Dale, newly built destroyer, on its trip to England, Italy, Spain and France.

Lt. Col. Roy S. Geiger, USMC, who is commanding the detachment of Marine fliers going to the National Air Races at Cleveland, Ohio.

Tech. Sgt. Stanley R. Morgan, USA, who sent in the first report of the death and located the bodies of Will Rogers and Wiley Post, and who has been rewarded by a promotion to master sergeant.

### The 28th Division

BY MAJ. GEN. E. C. SHANNON,  
Commanding, 28th Division

IN June, 1934, the Training Objective of the 28th Division for the ensuing year was stated as the "Reinforced War Strength Battalion in the Offensive".

In December of that year with this objective in mind the Training Section had so far completed its studies for the 1935 Field Training Period as to be able to call a conference of the Brigade and Regimental Commanders at the Headquarters at which definite training policies were decided and upon which the training program could be built. At this time the Division Commander received a warning that there was under consideration the concentration of the entire First Army for maneuver purposes at Pine Camp, N. Y., and that this concentration would replace the normal field training of the troops participating. However, on further study it appeared that the expense involved for such a concentration was so great that conceivably Congress might not appropriate sufficient funds and therefore, it was decided to continue the preparation of a normal training program for this Division.

While the Training Section was proceeding with its studies and plans, the Supply Section was carrying on studies with a view to moving the troops of the 28th Division from home stations to the State Military Reservation at Indian-town Gap with the limited number of trucks then on hand or definitely promised.

In view of the possible Army concentration this Section then proceeded with studies in parallel so far as possible, which would allow the troops to be moved by truck or railroad, or by rail and truck, to either Pine Camp or Indian-town Gap.

The Training Section then having, for the field training period, a maximum of 15 days from which must be deducted a total travel time of 2 days, 2 Sundays and 1/2 Saturday, recommended to the Division Commander that the 10 1/2 days, actual field training time remaining, be considered as that period allowed by the Fourth Army Plan for intensive training, in the National Guard, prior to departure from home station.

Upon approval of this recommendation the three following principles for the government of training were laid down:

1. The training and development in basic elements in the ability to cooperate with other elements of the same or different arms and services, so that the eventual combat teams may function as a closely knit unit without lost motion, but with essential and coordinated responsiveness to the will of the Commander.

2. Training in the coordinated use of primary weapons and equipment of the various arms and services, plus the technical and tactical principle involved in their employment.

3. To stress the ability to maintain themselves, weapons and equipment, to provide for intercommunications, trans-

portation and to secure internal order and external protection as essential attributes of troops in the field.

It was estimated that there should be reserved to the Corps Commander for Corps problems two of the 10 1/2 available days for training, that all possible training should be accomplished prior to the Corps maneuvers and in preparation therefor. With these factors in mind a program was worked out which would intensively occupy all troops of the 28th Division from 7:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. daily for six (6) days which would include the subjects of scouting and patrolling, observation and security, combat principles and musketry problems and would then proceed logically thru Battalion Terrain Exercises and Regimental Tactical Walks for officers to a problem for War Strength Infantry Battalions reinforced by Engineers, Tanks, Light Artillery, and Observation Planes. This problem to be two sided. Thus with the approval of the Corps Commander, the 28th Division attains its normal training objective and secures the benefits of operating within the Corps.

It is believed as a matter of fact that the concentration of the Corps will provide valuable lessons for the officers and men of the two participating components of the Army of the United States.

In the meantime, the complicated work of the Fourth Section was made more difficult to complete because not only had they to provide for a movement part truck and part rail to either Indian-town Gap or Pine Camp, but they were handicapped in laying plans for the transportation of 9,000 men with unit and personal baggage and equipment by a limitation of only 93 — 1 1/2-Ton Administrative Trucks, 90 Artillery Tactical Trucks and 41 Station Wagons on hand. Not until July were an additional 57 Administrative Trucks received together with 23 station wagons. This additional equipment materially relieved the problem, but at such a late date as to be almost too late. By using the shuttle system for the transportation of near by troops from home station to the training area and transporting two regiments by rail it has been found possible to concentrate the Division in the Training Area within a period of 18 hours from leaving home station.

The chief benefit to be derived from these maneuvers is undoubtedly that which will accrue to the Corps team as a result of the training in the chain of command.

In the 28th Division there is no loss in the instruction of the individual enlisted man due to the intensiveness with which it is intended to carry on his daily training for 7 days of 7 hours plus the time required for bivouacs, night marches and Corps problems. Except for this intensiveness and the fact that for the first time the troops will proceed to training camp by truck, the training of this Division, as prescribed, is to be considered as normal and it is expected that the troops will assimilate the instructions, service the discomforts and function without difficulty.

The 28th Division, being complete within the State of Pennsylvania, is probably in a less difficult position than many of the other Divisions which will take part in the Army exercises. It fought through the World War much as it is now organized and has a background of tradition extending, for many of its components, back to the Revolutionary War.

As for example: 109th Infantry was originally organized on August 14, 1877. Served through the Spanish War and carries six World War Streamers; the 110th Infantry originally organized November 28, 1869. Carries Streamers for the Spanish War (Manilla); Philippine Insurrection (Manilla Malolos) and six World War offensives; the 111th Infantry contains units which have been in existence since they were organized by Benjamin Franklin in 1747 as "Battalions of Associations", when they participated in the War of the Spanish Succession.

Franklin created a flag for these troops upon which appeared the device which is worn by the Division today, as

its crest. These units participated in the Wars of:

The Spanish Succession,  
The Revolution,  
1812

The Regiment as a whole was organized in August 1861 and carries Civil War Streamers for eleven campaigns and six World War Offensives; 112th Infantry was organized in 1861, participated in the Civil War and carries Spanish War Streamers for the Puerto Rican campaign and for six offensives in the World War. The 107th Field Artillery organized in 1861, participated in the Civil War, carries the Puerto Rican Streamers for the Spanish War and five battle streamers for the World War, including the Ypres-Lys Campaign in Belgium. The 108th Field Artillery was organized December 11, 1840 and assigned to the First Volunteer Infantry 102d of the line, for service in the Mexican War. It participated for three years in the Civil War and carries two Civil War and five World War Streamers, one of which is for the Ypres-Lys Campaign. The 109th Field Artillery was originally organized on October 17, 1775 as the 24th Regiment, Connecticut Militia, serving in the Revolutionary War for which it carries battle streamers for the battles of Brandywine, Germantown, New Jersey 1776, Pennsylvania 1778 and 1779. In 1778, it participated on the 3rd of July in the Battle of Wyoming.

This Regiment also carries battle streamers for Vera Cruz and Cerro Gordo in the Mexican War, for eight campaigns in the Civil War and five offensives in the World War, including the Ypres-Lys Campaign; The 103rd Engineers was originally organized in 1813 as a flank company of Light Infantry attached to the 84th Regiment, Penn. Militia, for which service it carries battle streamers for the War of 1812 without inscription. It participated in four years of the Civil War for which it carries ten streamers from: Fredericksburg to Appomattox. It participated in the World War and carries six battle streamers therefore.

The 103rd Medical Regiment organized in 1916 participated in the Mexican Border Service and carries five World War Battle Streamers; the 28th Division Trains participated in the Spanish War and carry the Puerto Rican Streamer. As the Quartermaster Trains, they participated in the World War for which they carry six battle streamers. Another Pennsylvania Field Artillery Regiment now part of the 29th Division is the 176th Field Artillery which was organized on the 5th of September, 1831, as the Duquesne Grays. This Regiment participated at Vera Cruz and Puebla (1847) and Cerro Gordo in the Mexican War. It carries a streamer "Civil War" without further inscription and World War streamers for six offensives.

The following General Officers are in active service of this Division; Maj. Gen. Edward C. Shannon, Division Commander; Brig. Gen. Edward Martin, Commanding 55th Brigade; Brig. Gen. Robert M. Brookfield, Commanding 56th Brigade; Brig. Gen. William S. McLean, Commanding the 53rd Field Artillery Brigade.

### Blocks Mitchell Bill

Senator Hastings, Rep. of Del., blocked passage, Aug. 16, of a bill to place former Brig. Gen. William Mitchell on the retired list of the Army as a colonel.

The measure, sponsored by the Democratic leader of the Senate, Senator Joseph Robinson, of Arkansas, was taken up under unanimous consent procedure, and Senator Robinson, together with Senators Barkley and Thomas of Utah, joined in praising the former chief of the A.E.F. Air Force.

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## Army Promotions

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"No. 71, Archie W. Barry, AC, to be retired.

"No. 98, William C. Miller, Inf, deceased.

"No. 155, Henry R. Smalley, QMC, to be retired.

"No. 169, Bruce L. Burch, Cav, to be retired.

"2. Promotions in other grades will be made as rapidly as practicable. No orders will be issued until all promotions are effected.

"(S) P. E. GALLAGHER,  
"Adjutant General."

"August 20, 1935.

"Subject: Promotion.

"1. The War Department on August 19, 1935, tendered promotions to Lieutenant Colonel, of all Majors, shown in the April 20, 1935, Army List and Directory, to Maj. James L. Bradley, Inf, No. 1120, inclusive, except the following:  
"No. 945, Chester C. Staples, Inf, retired.

"No. 1090, Joseph C. Daley, FA, to be retired.

"2. Promotions in other grades will be made as rapidly as practicable. No orders will be issued until all promotions are effected.

"Adjutant General."

"August 21, 1935.

"Subject: Promotion.

"1. The War Department on Aug. 20 and 21, 1935, tendered promotions to Major, of all Captains, shown in the April 20, 1935, Army List and Directory, to Capt. DeWitt Smith, Jr., Inf, No. 3745 inclusive, except the following:  
"No. 2334, Walter Jesse, Inf, to be retired.

"No. 2353, Clyde E. Austin, QMC, to be retired.

"No. 2304, Lloyd L. Harvey, AC, died Aug. 15, 1935.

"No. 2385, William E. Alger, PS, to be retired.

"No. 2407, Alfred G. Braden, Jr., JAGD, died.

"No. 2438, Lincoln Martin, QMC, to be retired.

"No. 2440, Louis H. Price, FD, retired.

"No. 2442, Fred G. Borden, SC, ordered home to await retirement.

"No. 2552, Ben B. Blair, OAC, to be retired.

"No. 2611, Henry A. Pascale, AC, to be retired.

"No. 2615, Joseph W. Bollenbeck, Inf, retired.

"No. 2681, Ernest R. Percy, CAC, to be retired.

"No. 2773, James A. Hasson, Inf, ordered home to await retirement.

"No. 3023, William L. Phillips, Inf, ordered home to await retirement.

"No. 3222, Robert C. Wright, Inf, ordered home to await retirement.

"No. 3288, George F. Macdonald, Inf, to be retired.

"No. 3315, Joseph M. Cole, OAC, to be retired.

"No. 3352, Joseph W. Denton, QMC, retired.

"No. 3365, Herbert W. Worcester, Cav, to be retired.

"No. 3443, Bernard Heiner, QMC, to be retired.

"No. 3519, Karl Minnigerode, Inf, dead.

"2. Promotions in other grades will be made as rapidly as practicable. No orders will be issued until all promotions are effected.

"(S) I. B. SUMMERS,  
"Adjutant General."

## Service Sons To West Point

(Continued from Page 1122)

Eugene Lawrence Gray, Jr., son of late Lt. Comdr. E. L. Gray, USN, Retd., Yeadon, Pa.

Noel Clinton Gregory, son of Maj. M. C. Gregory, USMC, Quantico, Va.

Walter Eugene Gunster, Jr., son of Col. W. E. Gunster, USA-Ret., Sarasota, Fla.

James Malone Hall, son of Capt. V. W. Hall, USA, Jackson, Miss.

Frank Harris, son of Tech. Sgt. Arthur Herbert Harris, USA, Chicago, Ill.

Edward H. Harvey, son of Capt. L. L. Harvey, USA, Barksdale Field, La.

Charles B. Hazeltine, Jr., son of Maj. C. B. Hazeltine, USA, Ft. Riley, Kan.

Merritt L. Hewitt, son of late Lt. Lambert Hewitt, USN, Alhambra, Calif.

Franklin Wolfram Horton, son of Warrant Officer G. A. Horton, Bandleader, USA, Ft. Benning, Ga.

John Gullfoyle Hoyle, son of Lt. Col. R. E. Hoyle, USA, Office, Chief of Field Artillery, Washington, D. C.

Samuel F. Howard, Jr., son of Capt. S. F. Howard, USA, Columbia, Tenn.

Amos M. Hutchison, son of Capt. Amos M. Hutchison, USA-Ret., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

William Marks Hutson, son of Maj. J. C. Hutson, USA, Augusta, Ga.

Arthur William Kellond, son of Warrant Officer A. P. Kellond, USA, Pvt., 1st Signal Troop, 1st Cav. Div., Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Francis Edward Kramer, son of Capt. John H. Kramer, USA-Ret., San Antonio, Tex.

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Oliver M. Ladd, Jr., son of Maj. O. M. Ladd, USA-Ret., San Diego, Calif.

William Arthur Lafrenz, son of Capt. W. F. Lafrenz, USA, Honolulu, T. H.

Donald N. Leary, son of Lt. Col. T. J. Leary, USA, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Harold LeRoy Loyd, son of Chief Marine Gunner Calvin Loyd, USMC, Quantico, Va.

Hew B. McMurdo, Jr., son of Lt. Col. H. B. McMurdo, USA, Hq. 4th CA, Atlanta, Ga.

Allen Francis MacLean, Jr., son of Lt. Col. A. F. MacLean, USA-Ret., Washington, D. C.

Marvin Hatfield Merchant, son of Col. B. T. Merchant, USA-Ret., Kensington, Md.

Bidwell Moore, son of Maj. O. M. Moore, USA, 13th FA, Schofield Barracks, T. H.

Thomas Henry Muller, son of Capt. W. G. Muller, USA, Rock Island, Ill.

John Norton, son of Maj. Augustus Norton, USA-Ret., Norfolk, Va.

Louis A. Oswald, son of M. Sgt. Francis Oswald, USA-Ret., San Antonio, Tex.

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James Alexander McCallam, Jr., son of Maj. J. A. McCallam, USA, Veterinary Station Hosp., Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Walter A. Pashley, Jr., son of Maj. W. A. Pashley, USA, Washington, D. C.

Lawrence Frederick Petters, son of Maj. F. H. Petters, USA, Station Hosp., Vancouver Bks., Wash.

James W. Peyton, Jr., son of Maj. J. W. Peyton, USA-Ret., La Jolla, Calif.

Thomas Andrew Replogle, son of Warrant Officer Roy G. Replogle, USA, Honolulu, T. H.

Harmon Porter Rimmer, son of Maj. H. M. Rimmer, USA-Ret., San Francisco, Calif.

Philip Henry Sheridan, 3d, son of late Maj. P. H. Sheridan, USA, Santa Barbara, Calif.

John Raymond Sands, Jr., son of Capt. J. R. Sands, USA-Ret., Jacksonville, Fla.

Warren Clay Sleeper, son of Capt. E. H. Sleeper, USA, Hq. Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Edgar M. Sliney, son of Maj. George W. Sliney, USA, Los Angeles, Calif.

Harold E. Small, Jr., son of Maj. H. E. Small, USA, State Armory, Bridgeport, Conn.

Eben French Swift, son of Col. Eben Swift, Jr., USA, Hq. 6th CA, Chicago, Ill.

Walter Richard Tallaferrro, son of Lt. Col. L. H. Tallaferrro, USA-Ret., San Antonio, Tex.

Myron W. Tupper, Jr., son of Maj. M. W. Tupper, USA, Ft. Moultrie, S. C.

Edgar H. Underwood, Jr., son of Maj. E. H. Underwood, USA, Office of P.M.S. & T. Univ. of Alabama.

Henry Urrutia, son of Maj. Enrique Urrutia, Jr., USA, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Floyd Randall Waltz, Jr., son of Maj. F. R. Waltz, USA, Las Cruces, N. M.

Joseph Lea Ward, son of Maj. J. G. Ward, USMC, Quantico, Va.

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Kenneth E. Weber, son of Warrant Officer Herman Weber, USA, Ft. Logan, Colo.

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## Sons of World War Veterans

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Howard Clem, son of late Pvt. Harry Leon Clem, Co. B, 106th Engrs., Casey, Ill.

Walter Thomas Delaney, son of late Cpl. Thomas Ward Delaney, 10th Constr. Co., A.S.S.C., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Guy Martin Gandy, son of late Pvt. Guy Ira Gandy, 306th Div. Supply Train, Shreveport, La.

Kelso Carl Garver, son of late Pvt. 1st. Kelso Miller Garver, Med. Dept. B. H. No. 64, Detroit, Mich.

Elmer Charles Haney, son of late Cpl. Senter Haney, Co. F., 117th Inf., Knoxville, Tenn.

George Adolph Hauser, Co. I, 307th Inf., Wilmington, N. C.

Robert Murray Lee, son of late Pvt. John M. P. Lee, Co. 21, 164th D. B., Edgewater, Colo.

George A. O'Brien, son of late Sgt. Geo. A. O'Brien, Co. C, 102d Engrs., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Frederic E. Peltier, son of late Pvt. Elmer Edwin Peltier, 158th Inf., Cleveland, Ohio.

Walter Clyde Smith, son of late Pvt. Walter C. Smith, 1st Co. Replacement Draft,

Bonham, Tex.

Erwin C. Wise, son of late Gunner Robt. Van Orden Wise, USN, Pvt., Co. E, 18th Inf., Camp Dix, N. J.

Otis R. Hatka, son of late Pvt. Benedict Hatka, Co. I, 360th Inf., Granger, Tex.

Seward Haskins Austin, son of late 2d Lt. Eugene H. Austin, ASMA, AC, Washington, D. C.

Robert Eston Breden, son of late Chap. (1st Lt.) John Granville Breden, USA, Westerville, Ohio.

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Donald Miller Clarke, son of late Capt. J. M. Clarke, Co. F, 111th Inf., 28th Div., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Philip Henry Sheridan, 3d, son of late Maj. P. H. Sheridan, USA, Santa Barbara, Calif.

Raymond A. Sunderlin, son of late 2d Lt. R. A. Sunderlin, Inf., Rockville Centre, New York.

Paul Jay Sykes, son of late Capt. Paul J. Sykes, Inf., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.

John Hamlin Traylor, son of late 1st Lt. John H. Traylor, MC, Bryan, Tex.

William Thomas Gleason, Jr., son of late 1st Lt. W. T. Gleason, MRC, USA, Ogden, Utah.

## National Guard Generals

The President on Aug. 20 sent to the Senate for confirmation the appointments of the following officers of the National Guard:

Frederick B. Kerr, of Clearfield, Pa., to be Brigadier General, Adjutant General's Department, National Guard.

Walter Allen DeLamater, of New York, N. Y., to be Brigadier General, National Guard.

General Kerr is the Adjutant General of the State of Pennsylvania and his designation by the President as Brigadier General constitutes a Federal recognition of his State rank.

General DeLamater is at present commanding the 53rd Infantry Brigade of the New York National Guard after serving several years as Commanding Officer of the 71st Infantry. His promotion comes as a recognition of 35 years service in the National Guard of New York during which he has served in all grades from private to brigadier general.

## Army Transport Sailings

Grant—Leaves New York Sept. 15; arrives Cristobal Sept. 23; leaves Sept. 24; arrives San Francisco Oct. 4.

Chateau Thierry—Leaves New York Aug. 27; arrives San Juan Aug. 31; leaves Aug. 31; arrives Cristobal Sept. 3; leaves Sept. 7; arrives and leaves San Juan Sept. 10; arrives New York Sept. 14; leaves New York Sept. 24; arrives Cristobal Sept. 30; leaves Oct. 1.

Republic—Leaves San Francisco Aug. 22; arrives Honolulu Aug. 28; leaves Sept. 3; arrives San Francisco Sept. 14; leaves Sept. 14; arrives Cristobal Sept. 24; leaves Sept. 25; arrives New York Oct. 1, leaves New York Oct. 10.

St. Mihiel—Leaves Honolulu Aug. 2; arrives Cristobal Sept. 6; leaves Sept. 6; arrives New York Sept. 13; leaves Oct. 1.

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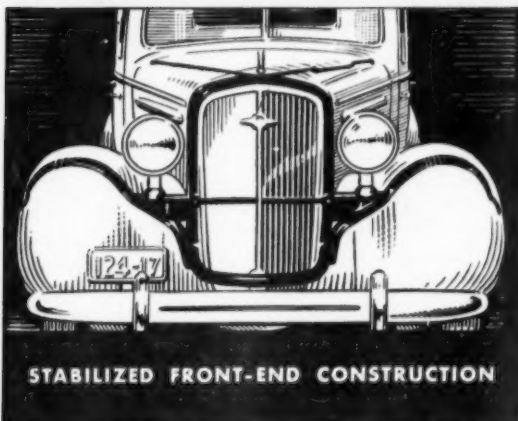
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## THE U. S. NAVY

## THE U. S. MARINE CORPS

## Navy's Metalclad Flies

The Navy's metalclad airship, ZMC-2, observed the sixth anniversary of her first flight by a training flight from the Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, N. J., Aug. 19.

Since taking off on her first flight from Grosse Ile Airport, Detroit, Mich., Aug. 19, 1929, the ZMC-2 has flown approximately 60,000 miles during 1,425 hours in the air. The craft was the first successful airship with the hull, including the hull covering itself, built entirely of metal, for which "Alclad," an aluminum alloy, was employed commercially for the first time. In her construction, a special type of seam sealing compound was developed and a machine for rapidly riveting thin sheets together designed. Through her six years of service, a careful check has been kept on the behavior of the various materials used in the airship.

The characteristics of the ZMC-2 are: volume, 202,000 cu. ft.; length, 150 ft.; diameter, 53 ft.; height, 64 ft.; gross lift, 12,200 lbs.; horse power, 400; useful lift, 3,200 lbs.; speed, 52 knots; range-nautical miles (cruising speed), 600.

In point of service the ZMC-2 is the oldest airship in operation in the U. S. Navy, and is but one year younger than the Graf Zeppelin, which airship is the oldest operating airship in the world.

## Navy Enters Balloon Race

The Navy Department announced this week that a Navy team composed of Lt. Raymond F. Tyler, USN, and Lt. (jg) Howard T. Orville, USN, will enter the International Balloon Race for the Gordon Bennett Trophy to be held in Warsaw, Poland, Sept. 15, 1935, and that the Navy's representatives will be the only American contestants.

As no National Elimination Balloon Race was held this year, the Navy's team, winners of the last National Elimination race, which was held from Birmingham, Ala., July 31, 1934, retains its eligibility to participate in the international race.

Lieutenant Tyler and Lieutenant (jg) Orville, now at the Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, N. J., will use a Navy balloon of 80,000 cubic feet capacity inflated with coal gas.

The race from Warsaw will be for the fourth Gordon Bennett Cup, which becomes the permanent possession of the country winning it three times. It has been won by Poland's entrants in 1933 and 1934.

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## USS Dale Sails for Europe

The USS Dale, seventh of the Navy's new destroyers to be completed, sailed from New York, Aug. 20, on a shake-down cruise which will take her to England and to French, Spanish and Italian ports in the Mediterranean.

Recently completed at the New York Navy Yard, the Dale was commissioned June 17, 1935 and placed under the command of Comdr. William A. Corn, USN. On its shakedown, the destroyer will visit Southampton, England, Naples and Leghorn, Italy, Villefranche, France and Valencia, Spain, returning to Newport, R. I., Oct. 19.

## Would Equalize Enlisted Pay

Under the terms of a bill passed by the Senate Aug. 16, enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps who draw allowances for quarters and subsistence would continue to receive such while sick in the hospital or absent from their permanent duty stations in a pay status.

Existing law permits enlisted men of the Army who draw money allowances in lieu of receiving quarters and subsistence in kind to continue to receive the allowance when sent to a hospital or when they are absent from their permanent duty station in a pay status so long as their permanent station remains unchanged. Navy and Marine enlisted men in a like situation lose their allowances resulting often in considerable hardship to their families as their allowances in many cases amounts to more than half of their total compensation.

The bill, S.1976, was not acted upon by the House.

## Aid Marine Enlisted Men

Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps who served as commissioned officers in the Army during the World War would receive the pay of a warrant officer upon retirement under the terms of a bill (S. 2460) which passed the Senate, Aug. 16.

Existing law provides for enlisted men of the Army who had World War commissioned service in the Army to retire on a warrant officers' pay and similarly enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps who had commissioned World War service in the naval service are allowed warrant pay. There are a number of Marine Corps enlisted men, who had Army commissioned war service, however, who cannot retire from the Marine Corps with this additional pay, under present law. The bill was not acted upon by the House.

## USNA Professors Retirement

The Senate on Aug. 16 passed legislation setting up retirement for civilian members of the teaching staff at the Naval Academy and the Navy Postgraduate School.

Under the terms of the bill, S. 2845, which still has to be acted upon by the House, 10 per cent of the individual teacher's base pay would be spent for the purchase of annuity policy, the individual paying half and the Government paying half. Retirement age is set at 65, with the Academy Superintendent having authority to continue teachers in service until they are 70.

## Names Assigned to Submarines

The Acting Secretary of the Navy, Col. Henry L. Roosevelt, announced this week that in accordance with the established policy of the Department to assign the names of fishes to submarines, the following names are assigned to submarines SS182 to SS187 inclusive: SS182 Salmon, SS183 Seal, SS184 Skipjack, SS185 Snapper, SS186 Stingray, SS187 Sturgeon.

These submarines, authorized by the Vinson-Trammell Bill, are included in the 1935 building program and proposals for the construction of Submarines No. 182, 183 and 184 were received in the Navy Department on August 7, but award of contract has not been made.

## Block Medal Authorization

Legislation to permit a number of officers and enlisted men of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps to accept decorations and awards tendered to them by foreign countries was blocked in the Senate this week.

On the motion of Senator Sheppard, S. 1975, giving authority to enumerated naval personnel to receive foreign awards, was amended on the floor of the Senate to include a long list of Army officers and men. As that body was proceeding under the unanimous consent rule at the time, passage of the bill was then prevented by the objections of Senator LaFollette and Senator Nye.

## Takes Panama Command

Rear Adm. Albert W. Marshall, USN, on Aug. 19 took oath of office and assumed the duties of Commandant, 15th Naval District, and command of the Naval Station, Balboa, Canal Zone, succeeding Rear Adm. Walter S. Crosley, USN, who was detached from that duty on July 2, and is now a member of the General Board, Navy Department.

Admiral Marshall has been serving as the Senior Member, Pacific Coast Section, Board of Inspection and Survey since June 30, 1933.

## Navy Transport Sailings

Chaumont—Leaves Manila Aug. 21 arrives Guam Aug. 27, leaves Aug. 28; arrives Honolulu Sept. 8, leaves Sept. 10; arrives San Francisco Sept. 17, leaves Oct. 1; arrives San Pedro Oct. 3, leaves Oct. 4; arrives San Diego Oct. 5, leaves Oct. 7; arrives Canal Zone Oct. 17, leaves Oct. 19; arrives Guantanamo Oct. 22, leaves Oct. 22; arrives Norfolk, Oct. 26.

Henderson—Arrives and leaves Guantanamo Aug. 23; arrives Norfolk Aug. 27, leaves Sept. 10; arrives and leaves Guantanamo Sept. 14; arrives Canal Zone Sept. 17, leaves Sept. 20; arrives San Diego Oct. 1, leaves Oct. 2; arrives San Pedro Oct. 3, leaves Oct. 5; arrives Mare Island Oct. 7.

## Allow Officer Full Pay

Lt. Robert A. J. English, USN, who commanded Admiral Ryrd's flagship, the Bear, on the South Pole expedition, would be given full pay and allowances during his furlough from the Navy while on the Polar trip, and his service with the expedition would be counted as sea duty, under the terms of a bill which passed the Senate, Aug. 16.

The bill, which has the endorsement of the Navy Department, must still pass the House.

## Navy Receives Works Money

The Division of Applications and Information of the Works Program announced Aug. 20, that the President has approved an allotment of \$200,570 to the Bureau of Yards and Docks of the Navy Department, for two projects in the District of Columbia and Illinois.

The allocations are as follows: For repairs and improvements to inside and outside electric circuit at the Naval Observatory, \$570; Improving building at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, \$200,000.

## Navy Mutual Aid

The following named officers have recently been elected to membership in the Navy Mutual Aid Association:

Lt. H. V. B. Madsen, USN, Mid. L. H. Roddis, Jr., USN, Lt. O. M. Browne, Jr., USN, Lt. Guy Chadwick, USN, Ens. R. Young, USNR, Lt. H. E. Gray, USNR, Lt. J. L. Collis, USN, Lt. F. G. Gould, USN, Lt. J. E. Wymond, USN, Lt. H. H. Baker, USNR, Capt. J. E. Webb, USMCR, Lt. C. E. Parker, USMCR, Lt. G. A. Hutton, USN, Lt. A. W. McKechnie, USN, Lt. J. C. Waldron, USN, Lt. R. B. Hunt, USN, Lt. A. M. Morgan, USN, Lt. G. W. Whittier, USN, Ens. L. A. Bryan, USN, Ens. R. H. Isley, USN, Ens. H. J. Hoffmann, USN, Lt. J. B. Fox, USN, Lt. D. N. McInturf, USN, Lt. G. M. Stoddard, USN, Lt. S. W. Townsend, USNR, Bosn. J. F. Pingley, USN, Lt. M. S. A. Reichner, USNR, Lt. F. C. Croft, USMC, Lt. B. W. Goldsborough, USNR, Lt. R. A. Rosasco, USN, Lt. A. R. Montgomery, USN, Ens. E. F. Jackson, USN, Lt. D. B. Brookes, USN, Gunner G. C. Nichols, USN, Lt. C. H. Bryson, USNR, Lt. J. M. Sweeney, USN, Lt. P. C. Treadwell, USN, Lt. R. K. Kane, USNR, Pay Clerk R. O. Stratton, USN, Ens. Otto Weidemann, USNR, Lt. C. Dawes, USNR, Mach. R. F. Baker, USN, Ens. C. H. Clark, USNR.

The following deaths have recently occurred, and in each case the last named beneficiary has immediately been paid the total benefit as shown below: Capt. J. G. Ziegler, USN, \$8,247.64; Lt. Comdr. C. W. Chaddock, USN, \$8,057.68; Lt. J. F. Nelson, USN, \$7,552.86; and Comdr. W. F. Gresham, USN, \$8,105.34.

## "Annapolis Farewell"

Distinguished representatives of every branch of the United States Government attended the world premiere of "Annapolis Farewell", Aug. 22, at Warner Bros. Metropolitan Theatre, in Washington, D. C.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Henry L. Roosevelt headed the representatives of the Navy Department, including Admiral W. H. Standley, Chief of Naval Operations; Rear Adm. Adolphus Andrews, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation; Rear Adm. J. K. Taussig, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations, and Capt. Frank Jack Fletcher, aide to Secretary of the Navy Claude Swanson.

Headed by Comdr. Oscar Badger, acting commandant of the U. S. Naval Academy, 330 midshipmen and officers from the United States Naval Academy also attended the opening of this picture, which was filmed on the Academy grounds at Annapolis last June. The premiere is expected to be the most elaborate and colorful ever held in the East.

Sir Guy Standing, Tom Brown, Rosalind Keith, Richard Cromwell and Director Alexander Hall headed the contingent from Hollywood who came to Annapolis last June to make "Annapolis Farewell," which is an authentic story of midshipmen life. Full cooperation of Naval and Academy officials resulted in a film which has been given the Navy Department's stamp of approval.

Following this world premiere at the Metropolitan, "Annapolis Farewell" began a regular engagement at the Earl Theatre Aug. 23.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 1935

"Current opinion and plausible impressions should always be thoroughly tested; for if erroneous they work sure failure and perhaps disaster."—MAHAN.

## OUR PRIORITY LIST

- 1—Immediate restoration of the 5 per cent pay cut\* and of longevity with full credit for service,\* and repeal of the ban on reenlistment bonuses.
- 2—Revision upward of pay schedules.
- 3—Establishment of Service widows upon the same pension status, at least, of dependents of OCO trainees.<sup>†</sup>
- 4—More adequate retired pay for the Naval officers of the lower grades who will be forced to retire as a result of the selection system in force in the Sea Service.
- 5—Army promotion reform; and elimination of injustice from the operation of the selection system in the Navy and the Marine Corps.
- 6—Repeal of all obnoxious laws limiting the employment opportunities of retired officers.\*\*

\*Enacted by Congress.

†Partially achieved in Executive order of March 19, 1935. Further amelioration in Spanish-War pension bill signed by President August 13, 1935.

‡Provided in War Department Promotion bill signed by President July 31, 1935.

\*\*Laws for retired Naval officers liberalized in Navy personnel bill signed July 22, 1935.

THE NATION'S LARGEST group of genuine pacifists—the Army, Navy and Marine Corps—look to its civilian leaders to refrain from meddling in the internal affairs of other nations, from becoming involved in obligations and intrigues, and to guarantee peace for America through America's strength to preserve peace. History has taught and history repeats that treaties and entreaties, understandings and diplomacy, neutrality policies and forbearance, are of little avail when stronger nations covet wealth, land or position. A determination to keep the peace, to offer affront to no nation, and not to tempt affrontry through weakness on our part—the Rooseveltian policy of speaking softly but carrying a big stick—will go further toward keeping this nation out of war than all the neutrality resolutions and untried schemes of untried statesmen combined. If the world crisis today proves anything it is that armed forces and munitions are the result instead of the causes of friction. While prospective belligerents plead for supplies, the other nations refuse them. Italy's army is the result, rather than the cause of her Ethiopian venture. An expanding population, a demand for resources, and an emotional desire for revenge of past defeat have led Italy to fit herself for an expression of her national desires. If our national desire is to preserve our peace we too must be prepared to back it and to back it in the face of outside interests which if we were weak would readily draw us in. The strengthening of the Army and Navy already authorized by the Congress is a good start. Its continuation, together with a determination to mind strictly to our own affairs, will place us in the position of the "strong man armed" who keepeth his palace in peace.

WHILE THE WORLD MOURNED the loss of Will Rogers and Wiley Post, acclaim and praise for the resourcefulness and initiative of the Army sergeant, Stanley R. Morgan, are heard on every side. His knowledge of the natives and ability to understand their tongue and signs gave him immediate grasp of the situation when the tired Eskimo arrived at Point Barrow with his harrowing tale. Losing no time he took it upon himself, without higher authority, to hire a whaleboat and go immediately through ice and bad weather to the scene. The radio reports Sergeant Morgan wrote and transmitted told the world the story and told it so graphically that seasoned newspaper men gave high praise to his ability. To the nation Sergeant Morgan's conduct reflected great credit on the Army and was an example of the high calibre of the men in the service and of the type of training and indoctrination that produces resourcefulness, and the desire, willingness and ability to assume responsibilities on their own initiative. The speed with which the War Department recognized and rewarded him by promoting him to be a master sergeant—the highest grade within its power—in turn reflected credit on the Army. Sergeant Morgan's conduct gave another lesson to all officers and men of the service, that no matter how humble or distant the station (his is the most isolated in the Army) there yet may come the opportunity for the full use of training and ability to the credit of the Nation and the Army. Circumstances placed the honor and reputation of the service in the hands of a non-commissioned officer far removed from any to whom he could look for orders or instructions and he acquitted himself true to his traditions and training. The Army and the Nation are proud of you, Master Sergeant Morgan.

THE NAVY DEPARTMENT should take cognizance of the criticism of the present system of Navy promotion made publicly by Admiral William S. Sims, USA-Ret., and privately by numerous officers of the Navy, and institute a thoroughgoing restudy of the operation of the present selection laws. Agreement is general that selection at present is far from perfect. Many believe that changes can be effected which will materially improve the existing system. And whether or not you agree that any beneficial changes can be made, it is certainly no answer to Admiral Sims' serious charges for the Chief of Naval Operations to state that Admiral Sims has been retired a long time and is in no position to judge navy morale. The latter states that the present system has resulted in the elevation of officers to higher command in the Fleet and the Navy Department who "lack the essential confidence of the service." Admiral Standley, himself, certainly has the confidence of the service, but nevertheless he should not ignore the charges which have been made. Moreover, Admiral Sims' views are not solely his own. The poll he conducted among officers in the higher ranks showed that a considerable number believed that the present system is faulty and can be improved. A comprehensive review of the entire question certainly should be undertaken by the Department and all suggested changes be given a fair study.

## Service Humor

### A 'Dobie Wall

The Quartermaster in one of the southern Army posts while dancing with his hostess was asked by the said hostess if it wouldn't be possible for such a smart Quartermaster to build a 'dobie wall for her, around her garden. The Quartermaster secured one "giant size" 'dobie brick, wrapped it in cellophane, and presented it to the lady with the following poem:

When all too seldom, Quartermasters know  
The feel of being popular, they go  
Into a trance of pure and unadulterated  
Joy and bliss,  
So rare and sweet an ecstasy is this,  
Yet while within Elysian Fields, enjoying  
All the thrills it yields,  
The cancer of overwhelming doubt, yet eats  
Their vitals 'round about,  
Because experience of the past reminds  
Them that such bliss can't last  
Somewhere there lurks a catch!

Thus, when upon that moonlight night, I  
Gazed into your eyes so bright and heard  
You murmur what a hustler I was known  
To be,  
It seemed my joy would know no bounds, I  
Lost my heart and in my trance  
While gliding with you in the dance, your  
Smile persuaded me to take a chance and  
Promise,

A simple little six foot wall of 'dobie brick,  
Yes, that was all,  
To close the garden 'round about. A small  
Request forsooth but oh!  
So slick 'twas done, that 'ere I knew it I  
Had sworn  
To see what could be done about it.  
Resist your soft appeal? I never squeal,  
But I was "hooked."  
I knew it.

So far off lands I searched anon, until at  
Last I came upon  
This 'dobie brick quite large and thick (I  
Seized it quick), and now  
It's ready for your little hand to pat it  
Down where it will stand,  
Perhaps for countless ages,  
To keep the cruel desert winds, the neigh-  
bors' dogs, and other things,  
From entering in that guarded space,  
Where, so you tell me, you will place  
A flower or two, to form a garden.

Now I am not the kind of guy who makes a  
Maiden sob or cry,  
Because of unrequited promise,  
So while I cannot build your wall at any  
Time before the fall

Of 1985 or so, at least I've tried to make  
A start (I always try to do my part),  
Don't ever doubt me.

And while you say "the end has come,"  
"The Commissary's on the bum,"  
"You're out of 'dobie bricks again" (and I  
Must fain admit it),  
The situation here like other posts, is just  
Like this.

If I should build your 'dobie wall, and other  
Ladies large or small upon this post,  
Should see it.

I might as well go off and hide for I'd be  
Taken "for a ride"

By all these other ladies who would  
Straightway want a wall built too.

### L'ENVOI

So lady please don't throw a fit, let's build  
The wall up bit by bit,  
Maybe the other gals won't notice it.  
(Like H—— they won't!)

Perhaps some far off lovely fall like 1985  
Will see the wall  
Complete and ivy covered.

God grant that I'll be there to watch the  
Sunlight kiss your silver hair,  
As rocking gently in your easy chair you  
Murmur soft, a little prayer,  
"God bless the good old Quartermaster."

## ASK THE JOURNAL

SEND your queries to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR and an answer will be given in this column as soon as possible after receipt.

J. S. S.—Your attention is invited to W. D. Circular No. 50, September 22, 1933, publishing an opinion of the Acting Attorney General, dated August 8, 1933, holding that the Secretary of War may issue regulations authorizing under proper circumstances the payment of \$5.00 per diem for a period of over 30 days' temporary duty. In this opinion reference is made to decision of the Comptroller General dated August 26, 1932 (A-43746), with reference to a 30-day limitation.

It is understood that in some cases occurring within the fiscal year, 1933, when the first Economy Act was in effect, payments were made to Army officers of per diem for periods of temporary duty in excess of 30 days but that the General Accounting Office has suspended and disallowed many such payments in the accounts of disbursing officers who made them.

H. V. K.—The Adjutant General's Office informs us that you will be promoted to Warrant Officer on September 1, 1935.

H. J. MacD.—The Office of the Quartermaster General informs us that you are now No. 6 on the eligible list for Technical Sergeant (Supply). While there is a chance that you may be appointed from the current list, it is described as "quite remote."

## IN THE JOURNAL

### 10 Years Ago

The annual golf tournament at Wilber Wright Field, Ohio, is won by Lt. W. S. Hamlin, USA.

### 20 Years Ago

The business men's camp at Plattsburg has been so popular that it may be followed by another like camp to accommodate the large number applying for instruction.

### 30 Years Ago

The assignment of Midshipman David McD. LeBreton to duty as watch and division officer of the USS Olympia has renewed the advocacy on the part of many naval officers for abolition of the two years' post graduate course at sea following graduation from the Naval Academy. If a man is capable of performing the duties of a commissioned officer at sea, he should be commissioned, it is argued.

### 50 Years Ago

The work on the western wing of the new State, War, and Navy Department Building and on the central connecting wing is being pushed with rapidly never before attained in the construction of the vast building, so as to have these wings under roof before the severe weather sets in.

### 70 Years Ago

The British Admiralty are starting a series of experiments into various types of marine engines.



# War Department Organized Reserves

## ARMY ORDERS

### GENERAL OFFICERS

Brig. Gen. George Vidmer, having attained the age of 64 years his retirement from active service is announced, Aug. 31.

### GENERAL STAFF CORPS

GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR, C. of S. Maj. John H. Van Vleet (Inf.), from GSC and Omaha, Neb., to 17th Inf., Ft. Crook, Neb.

### ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPT.

BRIG. GEN. E. T. CONLEY, Acting AG. Maj. George A. Moore, from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Governors Island, N. Y. Lt. Col. Andrew J. White having failed physically for promotion by reason of disability incident to service, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31 with rank of colonel.

Col. Stuart A. Howard having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement is announced Aug. 31.

Maj. A. Pledger Sullivan from Baltimore, Md., to Washington, D. C.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT. Capt. Ernest M. Brannon (Inf.), relieved assignment to JAGD, detailed in that department.

### QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. LOUIS H. BASH, QMG. Lt. Col. Henry R. Smalley having failed physically for promotion by reason of disability incident to service, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31, with rank of colonel.

Maj. William M. Cline having been found incapacitated for active service by Army retiring board on account of disability incident thereto, is retired Aug. 31.

Capt. Thomas H. Ramsey (Inf.), previous orders revoked.

Maj. Norris P. Walsh (FA), relieved detail QMC; assigned duty with that corps.

Capt. Herbert C. Mitchell having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement is announced, Aug. 31.

### MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. CHARLES R. REYNOLDS, SG. Medical Corps

Lt. Col. Hew B. McMurdo from Atlanta, (Please turn to Page 1132)

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# Navy Dept. Marine Corps

## NAVY ORDERS

August 15, 1935

Lt. Irvin M. Hansen, upon disch. trmt. Nav. Hosp., Puget Sound, Wash.; to further trmt. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Lt. Harold L. Meadow, det. VS Sqdn. 2B (USS Saratoga); to duty Aide and Flag Secy., on staff, Comdr. Aircraft, Battle Force.

Lt. John E. Wheelchel, to duty Asst. Gunnery Officer, USS Idaho.

Lt. (jg) Orville K. O'Daniel, desp. ords. April 18, modified; upon disch. trmt. Nav. Hosp., Pearl Harbor, T. H.; to temp. duty USS Sicard.

Ens. Richard D. Adams, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.; to duty USS Sturtevant.

Ens. Samuel A. McCornock, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla., in August; to duty USS Fairfax.

Ens. Thomas P. O'Connell, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla., about August 10; to duty USS Vega.

Lt. Comdr. Theodore E. Cox (MC), det. USS Arkansas in August; to duty Nav. Trng. Sta., San Diego, Calif.

Lt. Comdr. John J. Haas (DC), ords. June 18, revoked; cont. trmt. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Lt. Alfred Dinsmore (DC), det. U. S. Naval Academy, about August 15; to duty USS Henderson.

Capt. Charles Conrad (SC), det. Nav. Yard, Puget Sound, Wash.; to duty as Paymaster General of the Navy, and Chief of the Bu. of S. and A.

Lt. Comdr. Irving R. McDaniel (CC), det. Office of Insp. of Nav. Matl., New York, N. Y., about August 14; to duty as Insp. of Nav. Matl., Atlanta, Ga. Orders July 5 revoked.

Ch. Pay Clk. John W. Luce, upon disch. trmt. Nav. Hosp., Phila., Pa.; to home relieved all active duty.

Ch. Elec. Claude H. N. Dalley, det. as Asst. Nav. Insp. of Mach., United Dry Docks, Inc., New York, in August; to duty Nav. Yard, New York, N. Y.

Ch. Elec. George F. Little, ords. of July 15 revoked; det. USS Idaho about August 17; to duty Nav. Trng. Sta., N. O. B., Norfolk, Va.

Ch. Mach. Edward A. O'Neill, det. Nav. Yard, Phila., Pa., in August; to duty c.o. USS Moncalm and on board when commissioned.

Ch. Bosn. Frederick B. Webber, upon disch. trmt. Nav. Hosp., Portsmouth, N. H.; to further trmt. Nav. Hosp., Boston. Uncompleted portion orders April 25 revoked.

August 16, 1935

Capt. Leo F. Welch, det. Insp. Ord. in Chg. Nav. Ammun. Depot, Ft. Mifflin, Pa., about Nov. 27; to duty command USS New York.

Lt. Comdr. Chester M. Holton, det. Off. in Chg. Nav. Rectg. Sta., Kansas City, Mo., about August 24; to 16th Nav. Dist., Cavite, P. I.

Lt. Comdr. Romeo J. Jondreau, det. 3rd Nav. Dist.; to duty Off. in Chg. Nav. Res. Educational Center, and addl. duty as Instructor, U. S. Nav. Reserves.

Lt. Beverly A. Hartt, det. USS MacLeish, about Sept. 7; to trmt. Nav. Hosp., San Diego, Calif.

Lt. Frederick D. Kline, det. USS Tarbell about Sept. 3; to duty as Radio Matl. Off., Nav. Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Lt. Malcolm W. Pemberton, to duty Rec. Sta., Phila., Pa.

Ens. Dermott V. Hickey, resignation accepted effective August 31, 1935.

Lt. Comdr. Raymond D. Reid (DC), Nav. Sta., Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, in Sept.; to duty Nav. Trng. Sta., Great Lakes, Ill.

Ch. Bosn. Francis E. Dowd, det. USS Whippoorwill about Nov. 9; to duty Nav. Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

August 17, 1935

Lt. Comdr. Dwight Dickinson, Jr. (MC), det. Flt. Air Base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.; to duty Rec. Ship, New York, N. Y.

August 19, 1935

Lt. Comdr. Joseph F. Lankford (MC), to additional duty Navy Rectg. Sta., Baltimore, Md.

Lt. Jesse Walter Miller (MC), det. Dest. Div. 5, Battle Force; to duty Marine Rectg. Sta., Seattle, Wash.

Lt. (jg) William T. Kenny, orders July 3 modified; arrival port US report Arizona duty.

Lt. Douglas T. Prehn (MC), orders July 22 modified; arrival US report duty Dest. Div. 5, Battle Force.

Lt. Comdr. Wm. H. Abbey (SC), Bu. Nav. ords. modified; report 16th Nav. District.

August 20, 1935

Lt. Comdr. Sidney W. Kirtland, det. USS Lexington in August; to duty command USS Tattnall.

Lt. Comdr. Hobart A. Sailor, det. command USS Tattnall in Sept.; to duty atty. general, Samoa.

Lt. Joseph P. Rockwell, det. as Asst. Insp. of Nav. Matl., Pittsburgh Dist., about Aug. 20; to duty exec. officer, USS MacLeish.

Lt. (jg) Edward H. Allen, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to Comdr. Air Battle Force for duty.

Lt. (jg) Lucian F. Dodson, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to Comdr. Air Battle Force for duty.

Lt. (jg) John B. Fellows, Jr., det. USS Sandpiper; to duty USS Talbot.

Lt. (jg) Orville K. O'Daniel, det. USS Sicard about Aug. 31; to duty USS Long.

Ens. Howard E. Born, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to Comdr. Air Battle Force for duty.

Ens. Sheldon W. Brown, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to duty VO Sqdn. 2B, (USS Arizona).

Ens. Peris G. Bunce, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to Comdr. Air Battle Force for duty.

Ens. James G. Craig, Jr., det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to VS Sqdn. 98, (USS Chester).

Ens. Archibald W. Greenlee, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to VO Sqdn. 1B, (USS New York).

Ens. Paul H. Harrington, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to VO Sqdn. 3B, (USS Idaho).

Ens. Earl T. Hydeman, granted sick leave two months; wait orders at Mare Island, Calif.

Ens. William E. Kenna, det. Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, about Sept. 10; to VS Sqdn. 118, (USS San Francisco).

Lt. William R. Manlove, Jr. (MC), det. Nav. Hosp., Brooklyn, N. Y., about Oct. 15, to USS Vega for duty.

Lt. Comdr. Roy L. Walford (SC), det. Nav. Air Sta., San Diego, Calif., about Jan. 20; relieved from all active duty, to home.

Ch. Bosn. John W. Thunk, det. Nav. Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 30; to home, relieved all active duty.

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## MARINE CORPS

August 16, 1935

Col. Frederick A. Barker, orders detaching this officer MB, Quantico, Va., to MB, Wash., D. C., revoked.

Lt. Col. David L. S. Brewster, about Sept. 1, detached 4th Marines, Shanghai, China, to Dept. of Pacific.

Lt. Col. William B. Sullivan, on reporting relief about Oct. 1, detached OIC, Western Retg. Div., San Francisco, Calif., to FMF, MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

Maj. Thomas P. Cheatham, orders Aug. 6, detaching this officer MB, Quantico, Va., to Rectg. Dist., Pittsburgh, revoked. On or about Aug. 20, detached MB, Quantico, Va., to MB, Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Lt. Col. James L. Underhill, on transfer of Flag, Commander, Battleship Div. No. 3, transferred from USS New Mexico to USS Idaho.

Maj. David R. Nimmer, on or about Aug. 20, detached Hdqrs., Marine Corps, Wash., D. C., to MB, Quantico, Va.

Maj. George F. Stokes, AQM, on Aug. 20, detached Hdqrs., Marine Corps, Wash., D. C., to Army Industrial College, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Merwin H. Silverthorn, orders to MB, Quantico, Va., modified and assigned duty Hdqrs., Marine Corps, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Robert L. Montague, on reporting MB, Quantico, Va., assigned to duty with Fleet Marine Force, that post.

Maj. Fred G. Patchen, about Sept. 7, detached MB, NAS, Lakehurst, N. J., to MB, Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H., via SS Lurline, sailing San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 15. Authorized delay en route San Francisco until Oct. 14.

Capt. Edward A. Craig, on Sept. 1, relieved present duties at MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif., and assigned to Fleet Marine Force, that Base.

Capt. Stephen F. Drew, detached MB, Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., to MB, NAD, Dover, N. J.

Capt. William W. Davidson, on completion temporary duty at Camp Perry, about Sept. 30, detached MB, Quantico, Va., to MD, USS New York. Authorized delay 14 days in reporting New York.

Capt. Alfred C. Cottrell, on reporting Capt. Davidson, detached MD, USS New York to FMF, MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

1st Lt. Ion M. Bethel, on completion temporary duty at Camp Perry, about Sept. 30, detached MB, Quantico, Va., to MB, Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif. Authorized delay 2 months reporting Navy Yard, Mare Island.

1st Lt. Dudley W. Davis, detached MB, NAD, Dover, N. J., to MB, Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

2nd Lt. David S. McDougal, on completion temporary duty at Camp Perry, about Sept. 30, detached MD, RR, Wakefield, Mass., to MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif. Authorized delay 15 days reporting NOB, San Diego.

August 20, 1935

Maj. William A. Worton, detached MB, Quantico, Va., to Hdqrs. Marine Corps, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Thomas P. Cheatham, AQM, detailed an Assistant Quartermaster, effective Aug. 14, 1935.

Maj. Edgar S. Tuttle, AQM, detailed an Assistant Quartermaster, effective Aug. 15, 1935.

Maj. Fred G. Patchen, AQM, detailed as Assistant Quartermaster, effective Aug. 15, 1935.

Capt. William F. Beattie, detached MD, AI, Peiping, China, to Dept. of Pacific, via SS President Lincoln, due San Francisco, Sept. 17.

1st Lt. Thomas G. Ennis, on Aug. 22, detached Aircraft 1, FMF, MB, Quantico, Va., to Aircraft 2, FMF, NAS, San Diego, Calif.

1st Lt. Paul Moret, on completion of temporary aviation duty at NA, Annapolis, Md., about Dec. 15, detached Aircraft 2, FMF, NAS, San Diego, Calif., to Aircraft 1, FMF, MB, Quantico, Va.

2nd Lt. Donald W. Fuller, detached NAS, Pensacola, Fla., to MB, Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Following named officers were promoted to the grades indicated, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, on Aug. 14, 1935, to rank from the dates shown:

Col. Samuel M. Harrington, June 30, 1935, No. 5.

1st Lt. Col. Leo D. Hermie, July 27, 1935, No. 1.

1st Lt. Col. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., July 27, 1935, No. 2.

1st Lt. Col. Robert Blake, Aug. 1, 1935, No. 1.

Maj. William M. Marshall, May 29, 1934, No. 10.

Maj. Eugene F. C. Collier, June 30, 1935, No. 2.

Maj. Lee H. Brown, July 27, 1935, No. 1.

Maj. Richard Livingston, July 27, 1935, No. 3.

Maj. Fred S. Robillard, July 27, 1935, No. 5.

Capt. Leslie H. Wellman, June 1, 1935, No. 4.

Capt. William C. Lemly, June 1, 1935, No. 6.

Capt. Charles W. Kall, June 1, 1935, No. 8.

Capt. James E. Kerr, July 27, 1935, No. 1.

Capt. William G. Manley, July 27, 1935, No. 2.

Capt. Albert D. Cooley, July 27, 1935, No. 3.

Capt. Theodore A. Holdahl, July 27, 1935, No. 4.

Capt. Robert O. Bare, July 27, 1935, No. 10.

Capt. Charles L. Fike, July 27, 1935, No. 12.

1st Lt. Thomas J. Colley, June 2, 1935, No. 5.

1st Lt. Marion A. Fawcett, June 2, 1935, No. 13.

1st Lt. Robert O. Bissan, June 2, 1935, No. 14.

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## SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

**Next Year's Fleet Maneuvers**—The Navy Department announced Aug. 21 that, following the well established custom of holding annual fleet maneuvers in different strategic areas and American territorial waters contiguous thereto, Fleet Problem No. 17 next Spring will be held in the Panama-Western Central American Coast area. It is the intention for the United States Fleet as a unit to leave West coast bases the latter part of April 1936. Upon completion of the Problem about the end of May, it is probable that some units of the fleet will transit the Panama Canal and in accordance with the policy of the Navy Department of returning some ships to the East coast on alternate years, opportunity will be taken for individual units to visit northern ports in mid-summer followed by visits to South Atlantic and Gulf ports in late August and September, returning to the San Diego-San Pedro area so as to arrive about the middle of October. Consideration is also being given to having one division of heavy cruisers, beginning in late September, make a trip around the Horn, visiting a few of the countries of South America, and returning to the West Coast, San Diego-San Pedro area, in December, 1936.

**Assignments of Naval Officers**—The Bureau of Navigation announced this week that the Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic Fleet has informed them that about 120 officers will be required as replacements on that station during the calendar year 1936. Volunteers are requested by the Bureau. The estimated requirements (exclusive of submarine officers) are as follows:

In March, 1936—2 Commanders (one should be for engineering duty only), 1 Lieutenant Commander, 2 Lieutenants (junior grade).

In April, 1936—1 Rear Admiral (relief for Commander Yangtze Patrol), 1 Captain, 2 Lieutenant Commanders, 2 Lieutenants, 7 Lieutenants (junior grade) (one should be Naval Aviator).

In May, 1936—1 Lieutenant Commander.

In June, 1936—1 Lieutenant (should be Naval Aviator).

In July, 1936—4 Commanders, 2 Lieutenant Commanders, 5 Lieutenants, 11 Lieutenants (junior grade).

In August, 1936—1 Lieutenant Commander, 1 Lieutenant, 3 Lieutenants (junior grade).

In September, 1936—3 Commanders, 1 Lieutenant Commander, 2 Lieutenants, 1 Lieutenant (junior grade).

In October, 1936—4 Lieutenants, 4 Lieutenants (junior grade).

In November, 1936—1 Lieutenant Commander, 2 Lieutenants, 12 Lieutenants (junior grade).

In December, 1936—4 Commanders, 1 Lieutenant Commander, 1 Lieutenant, 1 Lieutenant (junior grade).

Submarine officers required are as follows: January, 1936, 2 Lieutenants (junior grade); June, 1936, 2 Lieutenants; July, 1936, 1 Lieutenant, 2 Lieutenants (junior grade); August, 1936, 2 Lieutenants (junior grade); October, 1936, 1 Lieutenant.

The Bureau of Navigation also announced that it is its present intention to order to shore duty in 1936, Commanders of the class of 1914 who have had two years at sea. Members of the class of 1915, who will have made their numbers, will not be ordered ashore in 1936, unless they have had approximately three years at sea.

Certain shore stations now have more officers attached than are provided in the allowance list," the Bureau also said. When the routine changes are made in

the spring and summer of 1936, the officers in excess of allowance will be detached without relief.

In regard to next year's sea slate the Bureau said that approximately 65 Commanders of the classes of 1909 to 1915, inclusive will be due for sea duty in 1936. Of this number, 13 are required on the Asiatic Station. There will be 17 auxiliary commands to be filled, 25 executive officer billets in battleships and cruisers will be open, and it is expected that eight destroyer divisions will require new commanders.

Because of the large number of auxiliary commands and the limited number of executive officer billets available, it will not be practicable to assign as executives of battleships or cruisers all Commanders who have not had that duty. As a general rule officers whose last cruise included head of a department in a battleship or cruiser, or command of a destroyer division or submarine division, will be assigned to duty in command of an auxiliary.

**Navy Shipbuilding Program Lags**—From the joint progress report of the Bureau of Construction and Repair and Engineering, made public at the Navy Department, Aug. 10, it appears that practically every one of the 63 vessels now under construction at private and public yards will not be completed on the date specified in the building contract. Except in the case of two heavy cruisers, two submarines and several vessels in the early stages of construction, reports from the yards indicate a delay of from three to five months in the date for completion. A much longer delay, of course, is involved in the case of the three cruisers and four destroyers tied up by the strike at the New York Shipbuilding Corp.

The aircraft carriers, Yorktown and Enterprise, now about half finished, will not be completed until March, 1937 and July, 1937, respectively, a delay of about five months. The cruisers Quincy, due for completion in January, 1936, and the Vincennes due in January, 1937, are proceeding according to schedule, and so are the submarines Porpoise and Pike, due next February and May. Sixty-four ships are shown as under construction during the month of July, with one, the destroyer Dale, announced as complete on July 19. The list of vessels under construction, their building yard, the percentage of completion and the prospective date of completion as reported by the yard, are shown below.

Vessel	Building Yard	Hull Machinery Percentage of Completion	Completion Date
<b>Aircraft Carriers</b>			
Yorktown	Newport News S. B. & D. D. Co.	52.1 49.2	3/15/37
Enterprise	Newport News S. B. & D. D. Co.	45.8 41.9	7/1/37
<b>Heavy Cruisers</b>			
Quincy	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	87.4 84.6	1/9/36
Vincennes	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	63.8 60.2	1/2/37
Wichita	Philadelphia Nvy. Yd.	6.6 1.9	1/1/38 (a)
<b>Light Cruisers</b>			
Brooklyn	New York Navy Yard	31.3 13.4	4/1/37
Philadelphia	Philadelphia Nvy. Yd.	27.6 9.8	1/1/37
Savannah	New York S. B. Corp.	20.2 32.	(a) (b)
Nashville	New York S. B. Corp.	23.4 32.1	(a) (b)
Phoenix	New York S. B. Corp.	13.2 9.3	(a) (b)
Boise	Newport News S. B. & D. D. Co.	21. 9.9	8/22/37 (a)
Honolulu	New York Navy Yard	11.2 8.4	10/1/37
<b>Submarines</b>			
Porpoise	Portsmouth Navy Yard	85.5 82.7	2/1/36
Pike	Portsmouth Navy Yard	72. 68.9	5/1/36
Shark	Electric Boat Co.	97. 81.	11/15/35
Tarpon	Electric Boat Co.	91.5 71.	2/1/36
Perch	Electric Boat Co.	41.5 9.2	11/22/36
Pickrel	Electric Boat Co.	39.1 9.2	2/22/37
Pinna	Electric Boat Co.	33.8 9.2	5/22/37
Plunger	Portsmouth Navy Yard	8.7 4	2/1/37
Pollack	Portsmouth Navy Yard	8.3 4	5/1/37
Pompano	Mare Island Navy Yard	4.7 3	5/1/37
<b>Destroyers—1850 Ton</b>			
Porter	New York S. B. Corp.	47.7 61.2	(a) (b)
Selfridge	New York S. B. Corp.	46.5 59.3	(a) (b)
McDougal	New York S. B. Corp.	44.4 57.8	(a) (b)
Winslow	New York S. B. Corp.	44.4 57.6	(a) (b)
Phelps	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	71.4 79.9	12/3/35 (a)
Clark	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	62.9 71.6	2/3/36 (a)
Moffett	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	58.8 64.2	4/3/36 (a)
Balch	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	54.3 61.2	6/3/36 (a)
Somers	Federal S. B. & D. D. Co.	11.2 8.7	12/22/36 (a)
Warrington	Federal S. B. & D. D. Co.	10.8 7.2	2/22/37 (a)
<b>Destroyers—1500 Ton</b>			
Dale	New York Navy Yard	Completed July 19, 1935	
Monaghan	Boston Navy Yard	100. 99.9	8/31/35*
Mahan	United Dry Docks, Inc.	63.9 61.	3/30/36
Cummings	United Dry Docks, Inc.	61.2 60.2	4/30/36
Drayton	Bath Iron Works Corp.	62.4 56.3	3/3/36
Lamson	Bath Iron Works Corp.	56.4 53.8	4/18/36
Flusser	Federal S. B. & D. D. Co.	61.5 63.2	4/18/36
Reid	Federal S. B. & D. D. Co.	58.7 57.5	4/18/36
Cass	Boston Navy Yard	47. 29.	7/1/36
Conyngham	Boston Navy Yard	45. 27.	10/1/36
Cassin	Philadelphia Nvy. Yd.	43.5 19.2	5/1/36
Shaw	Philadelphia Nvy. Yd.	41.3 19.1	8/1/36
Tucker	Norfolk Navy Yard	42.3 21.3	5/1/36
Downes	Norfolk Navy Yard	42.3 21.3	6/1/36
Cushing	Puget Sound Nvy. Yd.	48.6 25.2	5/1/36
Perkins	Puget Sound Nvy. Yd.	42.9 25.2	8/1/36
Smith	Mare Island Nvy. Yd.	42.1 20.2	5/1/36
Preston	Mare Island Nvy. Yd.	38.3 18.1	8/1/36
Gridley	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	10.9 5.9	1/2/37
Craven	Beth. S. B. Corp. Fore R.	10.6 5.5	4/2/37
Dunlap	United S. B. & D. D. Corp.	27.5 22.1	6/9/36
Fanning	United S. B. & D. D. Corp.	28.1 20.1	8/9/36
Bagley	Norfolk Navy Yard	9.4 9.7	11/1/36
Blue	Norfolk Navy Yard	7.9 9.7	2/1/37
Helm	Norfolk Navy Yard	7.9 9.7	5/1/37
Magford	Boston Navy Yard	10. 15.5	11/1/36
Ralph Talbot	Boston Navy Yard	10. 14.5	2/1/37
Henley	Mare Island Nvy. Yd.	7.9 10.7	11/1/36
Patterson	Puget Sound Nvy. Yd.	4.1 10.2	11/1/36
Jarvis	Puget Sound Nvy. Yd.	4.1 10.2	2/1/37
<b>Gunboats</b>			
Erie	New York Navy Yard	55.5 23.6	3/1/36 (a)
Charleston	Charleston Navy Yard	54.4 27.8	4/1/36

(a) Reports indicate a delay may be involved, amount of delay not determined.  
(b) All productive work except drafting stopped due to strike which commenced May 13.  
\*Commissioned April 19, 1935.

**Peter B. Kyne Remembers His "Old Outfit"**—Peter B. Kyne, the noted writer, served as a Private in Company "L", 14th Infantry in the "days of the Empire" in the Philippines, June 18, 1898, to August 16, 1899. He has always kept in touch with his "old outfit", and has demonstrated in many ways his love for the organization that gave him his early military training. Company "L" is the proud possessor of an autographed presentation set of his books. Through many of his stories have run sentiments of admiration and respect for the Regular Army.

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In forwarding the spearheads to Col. Campbell B. Hodges, the present regimental commander, Captain Kyne expressed much regret that urgent business matters made it impossible for him to bring them in person, and accept the invitation to address the regiment on that occasion.

The men of the 14th Infantry are very proud of these handsome gifts, and are proud of the fact that they come from a man who marched in the ranks. That Peter B. Kyne may be their guest on or before their next Regimental Day, is the sincere wish of "The Right of the Line."

**Change Name of Submarine**—The Navy Department announced this week that the name assigned on Nov. 21, 1934, to Submarine No. 178, being built by the Electric Boat Company, Groton, Conn., has been changed from the "Pinna" to the "Permit". It has been the policy of the Department to assign the names of fishes to submarines, states the Department's announcement "and, inasmuch as the Pinna is of the mollusk family, it is considered more appropriate to name a man-of-war after one of the game fish varieties."

The Permit, a game fish of the pompano family, is found in southern waters, from the Rio Grande to the coast of North Carolina. While perhaps not as euphonious as "Pinna", the new name is considered a happier choice than to have the submarine christened for a fish which spends its time stuck in the mud. In the future, it is said, a thorough study of the habits of a fish is to be made before a name is assigned to a submarine.

#### M. I. T. Scholarships

The award of Army and Navy scholarships of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to five students was announced at the Institute today. The recipients are: Frederick A. F. Cooke, son of Capt. F. E. Cooke, USN, and Mrs. Cooke, Pearl Harbor, Honolulu, T. H.; John C. H. Lee, Jr., son of Lt. Col. J. C. Lee, CE, USA, and Mrs. Lee, Cynwyd, Pa.; David N. Lindberg, son of Mrs. and Dr. Don Lindberg, Captain MC, USA-Ret, Decatur, Ill.; L. Burns Magruder, Jr., son of Lt. Col. Lloyd B. Magruder, GSC, USA, and Mrs. Magruder, Washington, D. C.; and William A. Merritt, son of Mrs. William A. Merritt and the late Captain Merritt (SC), USN, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

#### Managua Earthquake Claims

The House this week passed HR 4799, authorizing the payment of money to officers and enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps to reimburse them for losses of personal property in the earthquake at Managua, Nicaragua, March 31, 1931. The measure must still be acted on by the Senate.

#### Would Modernize Army Guns

The Senate Military Committee on Aug. 20 reported with amendments S. 2820, amending the Public Works Appropriations Act of 1935 so as to appropriate \$1,000,000 to fabricate modern undercarriages for about 88 of the French 75-millimeter guns now held in storage in Army warehouses.

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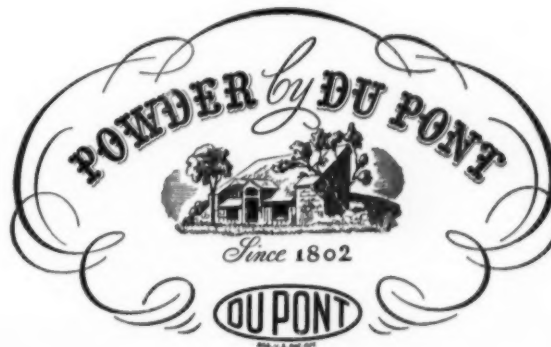
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### Army Orders

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Ga., to Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.  
 Maj. Charles G. Hutter from Ft. Cook, Neb., to student Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, Mass.

1st Lt. Robert W. DuPriest from Denver, Col., to student Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C.

Col. David Baker having attained the age of 64 years, his retirement from active service is announced, Aug. 31.

#### Army Nurse Corps

2nd Lt. Bessie M. Jackson having been found by retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired Aug. 31.

2nd Lt. Flora Listenfelt having been found by retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired Aug. 31.

2nd Lt. Margaret MacNichel having been found by retiring board incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, is retired Aug. 31.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. FREDERICK W. COLEMAN, C. of F.

Maj. Wallace C. Steiger from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Ft. Sill, Okla.

Capt. George F. MacDonald (Inf.), previous orders revoked.

#### CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. EDWARD M. MARKHAM, C. of E.

2nd Lt. Henry L. Hille, jr., previous orders revoked. From Collinsville, Okla., to Ft. McIntosh, Tex.

Maj. Helmer Swenholz from San Francisco, Calif., to 29th Eng., Ft. Stevens, Ore.

#### ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM H. TSCHAPPAT, C. of O.

Col. Townsend Whelen having been found incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident thereto, his retirement of Aug. 31, is announced.

#### SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. JAMES B. AYLISON, C. of SC.

Maj. Richard B. Moran from Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to Panama Canal Dept., sailing from N. Y. Sept. 17.

Maj. Alfred M. Shearer from 1st Sig. Co., to instructor, Signal School, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

#### CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

MAJ. GEN. CLAUDE E. BRIGHAM, C. of CWS.

Lt. Col. William N. Porter, Maxwell Fld., Ala., is required to participate regularly and frequently in aerial flights, effective Oct. 1, to Jan. 31, 1936, both dates inclusive.

Col. Charles R. Alley, designated as commandant Chemical Warfare School, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

#### CAVALRY

Maj. Lloyd W. Biggs, from Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to Mattoon, Ill.

Capt. John C. Hamilton having failed physically for promotion by reason of disability incident to service, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31.

1st Lt. Hayden A. Sears, previous orders revoked; to duty in the courier service of the Department of State, in addition to his other duties at Paris, France, is announced.

Maj. Raymond C. Gibbs, previous orders revoked.

Capt. Benners B. Vail from Ft. Brown, Tex., to Johnson City, Tenn.

Capt. Richard B. Evans, from Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., to Xavier High School, New York, N. Y.

#### FIELD ARTILLERY

MAJ. GEN. UPTON BIRNIE, JR., C. of FA.

Capt. Douglas V. Johnson from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to West De Pere, Wis.

Maj. Joseph O. Daly having failed physically for promotion by reason of disability incident to service, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31, with rank of lieutenant colonel.

Col. William F. Morrison, from Sioux City, Iowa, to Chicago high schools, Chicago, Ill.

Capt. Sumner M. Smith from Ft. Riley, Kans., to St. Joseph's College and Military Academy, Hays, Kans.

1st Lt. Kenneth S. Sweany from Madison Bks., N. Y., to Aquinas Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

Maj. Alfred M. Goldman from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to Aurora, Ill.

Following officers from Ft. Sill, Okla., to 14th FA, Ft. Riley, Kans.: Capt. Isaac L. Kitts; Capt. John M. Willems; 1st Lt. Harold S. Isaacson.

Maj. Arthur L. Warren from Ft. Lewis, Wash., to Tacoma, Wash.

Maj. Richardson L. Greene from Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., to Newport, R. I.

#### COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

MAJ. GEN. HARRY L. STEELE, C. of CAC.

Capt. James D. Brown, previous orders revoked.

1st Lt. Burgo D. Gill, previous orders amended to read to 52nd CA, Ft. Hancock,

N. J.

1st Lt. Maxwell W. Tracy, previous orders amended to read to 2nd CAC, Ft. Monroe, Va.

1st Lt. Marvin J. McKinney from Ft. Monroe, Va., to 10th CAC, Ft. Adams, R. I.

2nd Lt. Philip B. Stiness from Ft. Adams, R. I., to West Point, N. Y.

Maj. Robert E. Turley from Ft. Monroe, Va., to Ft. Benning, Ga., as instructor.

Capt. James D. Brown from Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to Dubuque, Iowa.

Capt. Ernest R. Percy having failed physically for promotion by reason of disability incident to service, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31 with rank of major.

2nd Lt. Joseph S. Piram, previous orders amended to read from Ft. Monroe, Va., to Hawaiian Dept., sailing from N. Y. Nov. 1.

#### INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. EDWARD CROFT, C. of Inf.

Capt. Harvey T. Jensen, previous orders revoked.

1st Lt. William J. Glasgow, jr., previous orders revoked. From student to duty Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga.

The resignation by 2nd Lt. Robert Whitney Wood, is accepted.

Capt. William E. Alger (PS), having failed physically for promotion, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31 with rank of major.

Maj. Francis W. Bonham from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., to Ft. Humphreys, D. C., as instructor.

Col. Robert M. Brambila from Reno, Nev., to Newark, N. J., sailing from S. P. Sept. 14.

Col. Charles S. Hamilton from Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y., to Philippine Dept., sailing from N. Y. Dec. 31.

Maj. Max S. Murray from Chicago, Ill., to Inf. instructor, Pa. NG, Harrisburg, Pa.

Capt. John P. Lake from Washington, D. C., to 15th Inf., Tientsin, China, sailing from N. Y. Dec. 31.

Capt. Harry Cullins, from Governors Island, N. Y., to student Tank Course, Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Maj. Harold E. Potter from Peoria, Ill., to Hawaiian Dept., sailing from N. Y. Dec. 12.

2nd Lt. Joseph W. Stillwell, jr., from Ft. Benning, Ga., to 15th Inf., Tientsin, China, sailing from N. Y. Sept. 17.

Maj. Roy Sloan having been found incapacitated for active service, his retirement is announced as of Aug. 31.

Capt. Leon C. Bolnean from Hawaiian Dept., to instructor, Ill. NG, Chicago, Ill.

Maj. John R. Francis from Philippine Dept., to HQ special troops, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.

Maj. Edgar H. Keltner from Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio.

Maj. Carl C. Andersen, previous orders revoked. From Hawaiian Dept. to 2nd Div. Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

#### AIR CORPS

MAJ. GEN. BENJAMIN D. FOULOIS, C. of AC.

Capt. Russell H. Cooper from Grand Prairie, Tex., to Fairfield air depot, Fairfield, Ohio.

Following officers from Hawaiian Dept., to station after name:

Capt. Murray C. Woodbury, Selfridge Fld., Mich.

1st Lt. Russell H. Griffith, Chanute Fld., Ill.

1st Lt. Louis A. Guenther, 12th Obs. Group, Brooks Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. Lauris Norstad, GHQ Air Force, Selfridge Fld., Mich.

1st Lt. Robert A. Stunkard, 12th Obs. Group, Brooks Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. Donald N. Yates, 12th Obs. Group, Brooks Fld., Tex.

Capt. (1st Lt.) Francis M. Zeigler from temporary rank and Fairfield, Ohio, to Philippine Dept., sailing from N. Y. Dec. 31.

Capt. (1st Lt.) Hansford W. Pennington from temporary rank and Panama Canal Dept., to OR, 8th Corps Area, Hensley Fld., Tex.

#### LEAVES

Lt. Col. Bernard Lentz, Inf., one month and twenty days, Aug. 20.

Maj. John A. Chase, FA, two months and three days, Sept. 1.

Maj. Herman H. F. Gosssett, FA, one month and three days, Sept. 10.

Capt. Leonard F. Wilson, MC, one month and fifteen days, Sept. 16.

1st Lt. Douglas Campbell, Inf., one month and ten days, Sept. 12.

2nd Lt. William H. G. Fuller, Inf., one month and eight days, Sept. 1.

1st Lt. James McCormack, jr., CE, one month, Aug. 20.

Capt. Paul MacK. Martin, Cav., two months, Sept. 20.

1st Lt. Thomas A. Adcock, CE, one month and twelve days, Sept. 19.

1st Lt. Mark K. Lewis, jr., AC, two months and fifteen days, Sept. 10.

#### PROMOTIONS

The promotion of each of the following named officers is announced:

Name and Arm or Service	From—To Date of Rank
Adjutant General's Department	
W. V. Carter	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
Judge Advocate General's Department	
W. A. Turnbull	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
G. P. Hill	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
Quartermaster Corps	
E. B. Gregory	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
R. D. Valliant	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
George Lubergoff	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
Gwynne Conrad	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
H. A. Vacquerie	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
Hans Ottzeun	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
W. V. Renner	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
Dental Corps	
H. N. Burgin	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
R. E. Hammsberg	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
Veterinary Corps	
Russell McNellis	2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1
Finance Department	
B. L. Jacobson	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
F. J. Keely	Capt. Maj. July 1
Ordnance Department	
J. K. Crain	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
Everett Collins	Maj. Lt. Col. July 1
Signal Corps	
S. B. Akin	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
W. W. Jervy	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
W. H. Weststrom	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
Cavalry	
G. B. Hunter (detached in GSC)	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
Stanley Koch	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
Harry Foster (detached in FD)	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
Daniel Becker	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
N. N. Rogers	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
T. M. Roemer	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
J. C. Ward	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
H. N. Christman	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
H. H. D. Helberg	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
H. B. Waddell	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
Field Artillery	
C. S. Blakely	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
R. M. Danford	1st Lt. Col. Aug. 1
C. B. McCormick	Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1
N. P. Walsh (detached in QMC)	Capt. Maj. Aug. 1
F. J. Tate	1st Lt. Capt. July 1
R. T. Bennisson (detached in QMC)	1st Lt. Capt. July 1
H. J. D. Meyer	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
E. F. Hammond (detached in SC)	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
J. J. Burns	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1
L. E. Jacoby	1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

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C. J. Kanaga.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 E. V. Kerr.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 Thomas McGregor.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 E. L. Strohbehn.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 M. K. Kurtz.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 Eugene McGinley.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

## Coast Artillery Corps

M. A. Cross.....Lt. Col. Col. Aug. 1  
 E. W. Turner.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1  
 W. I. Allen.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 G. R. Burgess.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 D. D. Flory.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1  
 H. Ritchie.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

## Infantry

G. V. Strong.....Lt. Col. Col. Aug. 1  
 J. W. Stilwell.....Lt. Col. Col. Aug. 1  
 E. L. Hooper.....Lt. Col. Col. Aug. 1  
 J. J. Phillipson.....Lt. Col. Col. Aug. 1

R. P. Hartle (de-  
 tailed in GSC).....Maj. Lt. Col. July 13

O. H. Saunders.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1

B. G. Sherrard.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1

J. W. Hyatt.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1

E. W. Hardenbergh.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1

A. B. Hitchcock.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1

W. A. Smith.....Maj. Lt. Col. Aug. 1

J. H. Lawrence.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

E. C. Graham.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

E. J. Tulley.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

Dear Kain.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

C. A. Lundy.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

L. W. Skaggs.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

J. H. Rustemeyer.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

Carl Robinson.....1st Lt. Capt. July 13

E. M. Brannon (as-  
 signed to duty  
 with JAGD).....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

J. W. Sheehy.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

J. R. Vance (de-1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

tailed in OD).....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

R. P. Ovenshine.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

L. C. Paquet.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

T. M. Crawford.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

## Air Corps

T. S. Voss.....Capt. Maj. Aug. 1

J. E. Parker.....1st Lt. Capt. Aug. 1

E. W. Anderson.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. July 10

J. C. Covington.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. July 13

W. C. Morse.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. July 13

C. P. West.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

W. L. Kennedy.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

Jesse Auton.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. P. Ryan.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

A. W. Shepherd.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

R. S. Macrum.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

C. L. Munroe, jr.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1  
 L. O. Ryan.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1  
 W. R. Morgan.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

P. G. Meisenholder.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. W. Egan.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

H. H. Van Auken.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

R. O. Cork.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

W. C. Mills.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

H. H. Telman.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. K. Gerhart.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

H. L. Mace.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

Elder Patteson.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

F. H. Griswold.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

L. R. Brownfield.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

R. W. Burns.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

D. W. Jenkins.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

W. M. Prince.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

C. F. Hegy.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. P. Newberry.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

S. O. Ross.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. W. Baylor.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

W. J. Clinch, jr.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. McK. Thompson.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

Gerald Hoyle.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

A. F. Merewether.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. V. Crabb.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

T. W. Scott.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

L. C. Westley.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

J. H. Davies.....2nd Lt. 1st Lt. Aug. 1

## Philippine Scouts

R. E. Quigley.....Capt. Maj. July 10

## TRANSFER

2nd Lt. John B. Ackerman, CAC, to AC.

1st Lt. Clayton E. Hughes, FA, to AC.

2nd Lt. Edward J. Hale, FA, to AC.

2nd Lt. James R. Pritchard, Inf., to FA;

from 11th Inf., to 68th Fa, Ft. Knox, Ky.

## WARRANT OFFICERS

W. O. Herbert F. England previous orders  
 revoked; from Ft. Jay, N. Y., to his home  
 and await retirement.

W. O. Morrison M. Winters from Ft.  
 Bragg, N. C., to his home and await re-  
 tirement.

W. O. Anthony Poyet, his retirement, after  
 more than 30 year's service is announced,  
 as of Aug. 31, with rank of major.

W. O. John Johnson, his retirement, after  
 more than 30 year's service is announced,  
 as of Aug. 31, with rank of captain.

W. O. Oscar A. Schubert having been found  
 by Army retiring board incapacitated for  
 active service on account of physical dis-  
 ability incident thereto his retirement is an-  
 nounced as of Aug. 31, with rank of 2nd Lt.

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### Personals

Miss Lucille Price, daughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Harrison J. Price, USA-Ret., who has been visiting her cousins, Capt. and Mrs. E. H. Harrison, OD, USA, in the Panama Canal Zone has returned to her home in Richmond, Va.

Maj. Walter Gullion, AGD, USA, who was removed from the U. S. A. T. Republic sometime ago to Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami, Fla. by Coast Guard sea plane is improving following a second operation. It is believed that Major Gullion will be able to leave the hospital by September 15.

Lt. and Mrs. Branner Pace Purdue announce the birth of their second child, Carolyn Rhodes, at the Station Hospital at Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., Aug. 4. Granddaughter of the late Col. William Gray Sills and Mrs. William Gray Sills.

Miss Narcissa P. Reeder, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Russell P. Reeder, CAO, USA, of Ft. Monroe, Va., at present is the guest of her brother, Lt. (jg) Fred M. Reeder, USN, at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla. In September Miss Reeder will resume her studies at Wellesley College.

1st Lt. and Mrs. Russell P. Reeder, Jr., Inf., USA, and their small daughter, Ann, arrived at West Point August 20 from the Canal Zone. Lieutenant Reeder will again be assistant football coach at the Academy this fall.

Miss Julie Camp has returned from a visit with friends in Scotland and joined her parents, Maj. and Mrs. T. J. Camp, Inf., USA, at Ft. Benning.

Miss Ruth Littell Owen, daughter of Mrs. William Cook Owen of Staunton, Va., has been spending the summer in northern New Jersey with her great-aunt, Mrs. E. S. Mills, sister of the late Mrs. Isaac William Littell. She will return to Staunton at the end of the month, after first going to West Point and New York.

Lt. Bartholomew W. Hogan, (MC), USN, and Mrs. Hogan, with their son, Bart, have returned to the East Coast from Honolulu, Hawaii, where Dr. Hogan has been on duty the last two

## SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS



**MRS. JAMES B. WELLS**  
who before her marriage at West Point, N. Y., July 20, 1935, to 2nd Lieutenant Wells, Inf., USA, was Miss Janet Van De Carr Danford, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert M. Danford, FA, USA.

years. They will be stationed in Washington where Dr. Hogan will take up his duties in the psychiatric department of the United States Naval Hospital.

Lt. G. Morton Neely, USN, with Mrs. Neely and their sons, G. Morton Neely, Jr., and David Fenton Neely, has arrived on the West Coast. Lieutenant Neely has been assigned to duty on the USS Roper.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Neely, the son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Moody, were stationed in Washington for the last two years.

Mrs. Neely and her children will make their home at Coronado, Calif.

Comdr. and Mrs. Patrick N. L. Bellingier motored to Hot Springs, Va., Monday, August 19, to visit friends.

Mrs. C. C. Whitcomb of St. Petersburg, Fla., is the guest of her son, Maj. J. C. Whitcomb, Inf., USA, and his wife, at their home in Seattle, Wash., for the month of August. To honor her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Whitcomb entertained August 12, with a very lovely tea at the Washington Athletic Club. About a hundred guests including Army, Navy and civilian personnel were present. Among out of town guests of interest was Mrs. James M. Kennedy of San Francisco.

Lt. Col. Samuel J. Smith, USA-Ret., was elected National Chaplain of the Society Army of the Philippines at the 36th annual encampment held at Hotel Stevens, Chicago, Ill., Aug. 11-14. There was a large and enthusiastic gathering of officers and enlisted men who served in the Philippines in the "Days of the Empire."

Col. and Mrs. Ralph Talbot, Jr., of Fort Leavenworth, Kan., spent several days in Fort Lewis, Wash., as the guests of Maj. and Mrs. Otho W. Humphries while on a motor trip through the Northwest and Canada. During their stay in Fort Lewis they made the trip to the world famous Rainier National Park, and other scenic trips of interest in and about Fort Lewis with Major and Mrs. Humphries.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Pexton, of Hollywood, Calif., house guests of Maj. and Mrs. Otho W. Humphries of Fort Lewis, Wash., during the past ten days, have left for Victoria, B. C., to continue an extensive vacation by motor and boat. While on the coast they were recipients of many charming parties, among those honoring the Pextons were, Col. and Mrs. W. F. Sharpe, Lt. Col. and Mrs. T. G. M. Oliphant, Maj. and Mrs. C. R. Lehner,

Maj. and Mrs. Charles Perfect, Maj. and Mrs. H. H. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Jones of Olympia, and their hosts. They were also the privileged guests of the beautiful and impressive farewell and welcoming dinner and ceremony tendered Brig. Gen. Otho B. Rosenbaum and Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Casper H. Conrad, Jr., on June 15. Mrs. Pexton will be remembered by many in Army circles as the charming sister of Capt. Graeme G. Parks of Fort Davis, Canal Zone.

### Weddings and Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Prindible of Patton, Pa., announce the engagement of the latter's daughter, Marion Quina Blount, to Lt. (jg) John Raby, USN, son of Mrs. J. J. Raby and the late Rear Admiral Raby. Miss Blount is the daughter of the late Mr. W. A. Blount, Jr., of Pensacola, Fla., and received her education at the Georgetown Visitation Convent of this city and Notre Dame College of Baltimore where she received her Phi Beta Kappa key. This past year she has been studying for a Doctor of Philosophy degree at Johns Hopkins University. Lieutenant Raby graduated from the Naval Academy, class of 1929, and became a Naval Aviator in February, 1931. He is now serving as an instructor in fighting planes at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla. The wedding will take place in November.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Varney of 14 Wendell Street, Cambridge, Mass., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Faith H. Varney to 2nd Lt. Hallett D. Edson, Inf., USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hallett D. Edson of Norfolk, Va.

Miss Varney is a graduate of Emerson College, Boston, Mass.

Lieutenant Edson was graduated in 1934 from West Point and is now stationed at Ft. Douglas, Utah.

An early fall wedding is being planned.

Lt. Col. Tom D. Barber, USMC, now in command of the Naval Prison, Portsmouth, N. H., and Mrs. Barber have announced the engagement of their daughter Elizabeth Mead to Maj. William Pettet Richards, USMC, now on duty at Yale University as an instructor with the ROTC unit. Major Richards is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Phoenix Moore Richards of Spokane, Wash.

Mr. A. J. Kengla announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Dorice M. Kengla, to 2nd Lt. James Marvin Masters, Jr., USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Marvin Masters, of Anderson, S. C. Lieutenant Masters was graduated from the Naval Academy at Annapolis in the 1933 class.

The wedding will take place September 14, in the Sacred Heart rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sturgis Chadwick, 277 Park Avenue, New York, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Harriette Elizabeth Chadwick, to Mr. Henry Carpenter Smither, Jr., of Washington, D. C., son of Mrs. Helen Smither and the late Brig. Gen. Henry Carpenter Smither, USA.

Miss Chadwick attended Miss Beard's School in South Orange, N. J., and was graduated from the Lenox and Finch schools in New York. Mr. Smither is a graduate of the New York Military Academy.

Maj. and Mrs. Ernest Terrill Barco, FA, USA, of Ft. Lewis, Wash., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lucille Sue Barco to 2nd Lt. Joshua R. Messersmith, FA, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Messersmith. Lieutenant Messersmith was graduated from West Point with the class of 1933. The wedding will take place September 14 in the new chapel at Ft. Lewis.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage on Sept. 14, 1935, of

Miss Elizabeth Hart of Coronado, Calif., daughter of Mrs. Margaret Hart and the late Lt. Comdr. John F. Hart, USN, to Mr. Jackson Dewar.

Col. and Mrs. John Carroll Goodfellow, USA-Ret., of Jackson Heights, Queens, N. Y., have announced the engagement of Colonel Goodfellow's niece, Miss Mary Cornelia Hunt of Washington, to Mr. Francis Crawford Power, son of Mr. Victor Power of Baltimore and the late Mr. Power.

Miss Hunt is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gaillard Hunt, of Washington. Her father was a noted historian, author and diplomat. Miss Hunt is a granddaughter of the late William H. Hunt, Secretary of the Navy in President Garfield's administration, and of the late Henry Goodfellow of the Judge Advocate General's Department. She is a descendant of Maj. Gen. Robert Brent, first Mayor of Washington, D. C. Miss Hunt attended the Georgetown Visitation Convent in Washington and the Cours Marie Roche in Paris.

The wedding will take place on Aug. 31 in Washington.

The marriage of Miss Helen Huberth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Francis Huberth, to Lt. (jg) Charles Keene, Jr., USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keene of Washington and Maryland, took place August 17 in the charming terraced garden of the home of her parents in Scarsdale, N. Y.

Announcement was received of the marriage of Mrs. Evelyn B. Karnes, of Martinsburg, W. Va., to Lt. Bethuel M. Kitchen, Inf.-Res., also of Martinsburg.

The service was solemnized at the Officers' Club of the CCC camp at Petersburg, W. Va., where Lieutenant Kitchen is on duty.

Miss Florence Evelyn Baum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Baum of New London, Conn., was married August 17 to Lt. John R. Kurcheski, USCG, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kurcheski of Teaneck, N. J.

Lieutenant Kurcheski and his bride will make their home at Norfolk, Va.

Comdr. and Mrs. John Frederick Hahn, USCG, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Louise Hahn, to Ens. William Joshua Lawrence. (Please turn to Page 1138)



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## Posts and Stations

WASHINGTON, D. C.  
August 22, 1935

Lt. and Mrs. William R. Terrel, USN, will have as their house guest Miss Frances Gayman of Fort Worth, Tex., who will arrive in Washington today.

Maj. Ernest A. Rudelius, Inf., USA, has come to Washington from Fort Leavenworth for duty at the War College, and will spend some time with his family at the Martinique.

Lt. Comdr. H. E. Thornhill, USN, and Mrs. Thornhill and their two sons, Timmie and David, left Washington Aug. 17 for a motor trip through New England. They will stop at St. Davids, Pa., to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Corson.

Col. William F. Pearson, AGD, of Tracy, Cal., has returned from a six-week stay in England. He was joined in New York by Mrs. Pearson, who has been visiting in the Berkshires.

Lt. Richard F. Whitehead, USN, naval attaché at the American Embassy in Rio de Janeiro, and Mrs. Whitehead, sailed Saturday, August 17, on the S. S. American Legion for Brazil.

Comdr. Robert K. Awtrey, USN, commander of the Navy Yard, Guantanamo, Cuba, has returned to Washington, accompanied by Mrs. Awtrey and their son, Robert E. Awtrey, Jr. They are at the Martinique for an indefinite stay.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. W. W. Hicks, CAC, USA, who have recently returned to Washington from Hawaii, have taken a house at 2724 Thirty-fourth street northwest.

WEST POINT, N. Y.  
August 22, 1935

Lt. Oscar B. Beasley, CAC, USA, and Mrs. Beasley had visiting them for several days at week, Mrs. Beasley's parents, Maj. Edward T. Wickert, MC, USA, and Mrs. Wickert, of Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

Lt. Carl F. Tischbein, CAC, USA, and Mrs. Tischbein and their daughter, Sally, and Lt. Holger N. Toftoy, CAC, USA, and Mrs. Toftoy and children departed on Wednesday, August 14, for their new station at Ft. Monroe, Va., where Lieutenants Tischbein and Toftoy will attend the Coast Artillery School.

Lt. Col. Robert C. Richardson, GSC, USA, former commandant of cadets at the Military Academy, Col. Paul S. Bond, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Bond, and Maj. Oscar B. Abbott and Mrs. Abbott, all of Washington, were guests here this week. Lt. Col. Leonard L. Barrett, USA-Ret., of New York, Col. Townsend Whelen, OD, USA, and Mrs. Whelen, of St. Louis, Capt. Claude E. Duncan, AC, USA, and Mrs. Duncan, of Maxwell Field, Ala., and Lt. B. L. Braun, USN, and Mrs. Braun, of Dahlgren, Va., were also here last week. Mrs. Marion P. Echols and her two children have returned to the post from Cape Cod, Mass. Lieutenant Echols, FA, USA, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William H. Echols, at the University of Virginia.

Lieutenants Kenner F. Hertford, CE, USA, Randolph Weston, CE, USA, Charles L. Mason, CE, USA, and Walter K. Wilson, Jr., CE, USA, returned to the post August 16, from Ithaca, N. Y., where they have been attending the summer school session at Cornell University.

Lt. Col. Chauncey L. Fenton, USA, and Mrs. Fenton are passing two weeks at Squam Lake, Ashland, N. H. Mr. John Fenton took early last week for a month's tour of England and Scotland.

Capt. Willard A. Holbrook, Cav., USA, and Mrs. Holbrook had visiting them the early part of last week, Mrs. Holbrook's mother and sister, Mrs. John K. Herr and Miss Fay Herr, of Washington, and Mr. Roy Holbrook, advisor to the Chinese government, and Mrs. Holbrook, of Shanghai. Captain and Mrs. Holbrook departed August 16 for a ten-day motor trip in Canada.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.  
August 22, 1935

Miss Mary Kent Hewitt, younger daughter of Capt. H. Kent Hewitt, USN, and Mrs. Hewitt, visited the family of Capt. Dallas G. Sutton, (MC), USN, at Rehoboth Beach, recently.

Mrs. Wilson, of Beloit, Wis., wife of Lt. Edward T. Wilson, ret., and their young daughter, Betty Lee, are passing August with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wells, at their home in Prince George Street.

Mrs. William L. Marcy and her daughter, Mrs. Clarkson Bright, wife of Commodore Bright, USN, are in Ocean City, Md., for August.

Mrs. Robert Hilliard, widow of Commander Hilliard, and her daughter, Miss Grace Hilliard, returned to their home in Shaw Street last week. Since spring they had been in California visiting Mrs. Hilliard's son-in-law and daughter, Lieutenant Maximilian Schmidt, USN, and Mrs. Schmidt. The Schmidts are now at New London, Conn., where the Lieutenant is on duty.

Miss Henrietta Crosley, daughter of Prof. Joseph Crosley and Mrs. Crosley, who has

been visiting at Coronado and Long Beach, Calif., and is now in San Francisco, will sail on September 1, for Honolulu, to be the guest of Mrs. Richard G. Vöge, wife of Lieutenant Vöge, USN.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Rogers, Lt. Comdr. William V. O. Clarke, USN, and Mrs. Clarke and their children and Mrs. Samuel Bryan, mother of Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Clarke, are occupying a cottage at Ocean City. Miss Ann DuBose, daughter of Comdr. Laurence T. DuBose and Mrs. DuBose, is the guest of Miss Margaret Ann Rogers this week at Ocean City.

Mrs. Thomas B. Howard, widow of Admiral Howard, and her children had a family reunion recently at Mrs. Howard's apartment on State Circle. Mrs. Howard had as her guests her son, Mr. Claude Howard, and his family, of Cambridge, Md., and her other son, Mr. Bushrod Howard, and family. Mrs. Bushrod Howard and young son, who have been cruising on Chesapeake Bay in their yacht, soon will go to New York with Mr. Howard to establish residence.

QUANTICO, VA.  
August 22, 1935

Capt. Gideon A. Williams, USMC, and Mr. Jimmie Denig, son of Col. and Mrs. R. L. Denig, USMC, left on Monday, August 12, for a motor trip to San Diego, Calif. On his return trip East, Mr. Denig will join his father at Camp Perry, Ohio.

Saturday, August 10, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Lyman, USMC, and a party including Capt. and Mrs. W. L. Mann, Jr., (MC), USMC, Col. and Mrs. C. F. B. Price, USMC, Lt. Col. and Mrs. H. L. Parsons, USMC, Comdr. and Mrs. T. C. Anderson, (MC), USN, Lt. Col. and Mrs. W. C. James, USMC, Capt. W. M. Mitchell, USMC, Lt. Col. D. S. Hard, USMC, and Lt. N. K. Brown, USMC, went to Baltimore to attend the annual Marine-Firemen baseball game. Many other officers and their families also drove to Baltimore to witness the game and be guests of the Baltimore firemen.

Col. and Mrs. Walter G. Sheard, USMC, entertained Saturday evening, August 10, at dinner in the officers' mess. They had as their guests Maj. and Mrs. R. E. Davis, USMC, Maj. and Mrs. C. H. Brown, USMC, Maj. Harvey Miller, USMC, R., and Mrs. Miller, Comdr. D. S. Knowlton, USN, R., and Mrs. Knowlton, Capt. Ralph Dewitt, USMC, R., and Lt. Leon Brusiloff, USMC, R., and Mrs. Brusiloff.

Last Tuesday evening, August 13, Maj. and Mrs. Campbell H. Brown, USMC, entertained at a buffet supper in their quarters in honor of Lt. and Mrs. John Burton Hendry, USMC. Among the guests was Mrs. A. M. Archibald of Washington, D. C.

In spite of intense summer heat there have been many activities both official and social during the past week. Thursday afternoon, August 15, the Fleet Marine Force gave a sunset parade in honor of Maj. Gen. C. H. Lyman. Thursday morning, General Lyman reviewed the Platoon Leaders' Class which is on the post for six weeks' summer training.

Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Chappell, USMC, and their children are away on vacation visiting in Washington and Maryland. Maj. and Mrs. Brown, USMC, were hosts Friday, afternoon, August 16, at a cocktail party for the officers of the 5th Battalion of Fleet Marine Corps Reserve which is at present on duty here for summer training.

NORFOLK, VA.  
August 23, 1935

Comdr. and Mrs. James D. Maloney entertained Wednesday night at a dinner given at their quarters in the Naval Base in honor of Mrs. C. A. Hubbard of Los Angeles, Calif., who is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Comdr. and Mrs. Rivers J. Carstarphen.

Comdr. and Mrs. H. T. Dickenson were hosts on Thursday evening at a dinner given at the Officers' Club in the Naval Base in honor of Comdr. Dickenson's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Worthington Bethel of Louisville, Ky., who are their house guests.

Mrs. Carleton Kear, wife of Comdr. Kear was hostess on Wednesday at a bridge luncheon given at her cottage at Virginia Beach. Bridge was played at four tables.

Lt. and Mrs. Orson R. Sutherland entertained Wednesday evening at their home in Lechaven at a charming supper party. Their guests included Captain and Mrs. Edward R. Wilson and Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Henry R. Herbst.

Mrs. C. R. Baker entertained the members of her card club on Tuesday at the home of Captain and Mrs. Baker in the Naval Hospital grounds.

Judge Robert Worth Bingham, ambassador to the Court of St. James, who with his daughter, Miss Henrietta Bingham, is visiting Mr. Bingham's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Harry Bingham of Louisville, Ky., now occupying the Evans cottage at Cavalier Shores, Virginia Beach for six weeks, was guest of honor on Monday at a luncheon given by Dr. Hugh F. Parrish at the Cavalier Beach Club.

EDGEWOOD ARSENAL, MD.  
August 18, 1935

At the farewell dinner held Monday night for Col. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, who left on Wednesday for San Francisco by motor, the officers of the Chemical Warfare Service presented Colonel Lyon with a handsome silver tray in recognition of his past few years of service as commander of the Arsenal.

Col. and Mrs. Morris Willett, of Columbus, Ohio, were recent guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Kabrich, who entertained for them on Wednesday with a tea.

Maj. and Mrs. Theodore Barnes, Capt. and Mrs. John Keatinge, of Ft. Hoyle, and Lt. T. A. Doxey are spending the week-end at the Barnes' cottage at Virginia Beach.

Capt. and Mrs. C. McM. Kellogg who left Saturday for Maxwell Field, Ala., where Captain Kellogg will attend the Tactical School, have been the honor guests at a number of entertainments. Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Loucks were hosts at dinner for them on Tuesday night; Capt. and Mrs. L. A. Elliott gave a luncheon on Friday; Capt. and Mrs. E. F. Bullene gave a dinner on Friday evening.

Beverly Tate celebrated her twelfth birthday with a swimming party on Thursday at the Officers' Club Pool.

Capt. and Mrs. W. Mayer left on Thursday for Washington where Capt. Mayer will attend the Army Industrial College. They will live at the Cordova Apartments, at 20th and Florida, N. W.

CARLISLE BARRACKS, PA.  
August 19, 1935

Mrs. C. M. Downs entertained with a dinner party at her home in Carlisle Thursday, August 8. Her guests were Mrs. L. W. Webb, Jr., Mrs. M. W. Ransone, Mrs. L. H. Ginn, Jr., Mrs. G. D. Newton, Mrs. F. P. Westervelt, Mrs. E. R. Chapman, and Mrs. Chapman, sr. The party attended the Garrison Theatre after the dinner.

Col. and Mrs. M. C. Stayer have spent the past ten days with Mrs. Stayer's sister and family in Bluefield, W. Va.

Col. and Mrs. G. L. McKinney who have been away on leave the past month returned to the Post Sunday, August 11.

Maj. and Mrs. F. S. Matlack of Detroit, Mich., visited friends in Carlisle last week.

Mrs. G. D. Newton entertained guests at dinner Sunday evening, August 11, in her quarters. Her guests were Mrs. L. W. Webb, Jr., Mrs. O. K. Niess, Mrs. C. M. Downs, Mrs. F. B. Westervelt, and Captain and Mrs.



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T. J. Hartford. The party attended the Post Movies after the dinner.

Capt. and Mrs. J. U. Weaver drove to Ithaca, N. Y., for the week-end.

Mrs. F. B. Westervelt entertained Mrs. L. W. Webb, Jr., Mrs. C. M. Downs, and Mrs. T. J. Hartford at dinner in her quarters Monday evening, August 12. Mrs. M. W. Ransone, and Mrs. G. D. Newton were her dinner guests Tuesday evening, August 13.

Mrs. L. H. Ginn, Jr., drove to Washington, Friday, August 16. Her mother, Mrs. Bessie Scott Lumsden returned to the Post with her to make a visit.

Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Dierdorff returned to the Post Thursday, August 15, from Ft. George G. Meade, Md., where Captain Dierdorff had been doing temporary duty before they leave for Ft. Thomas, Ky., their new station.

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### Posts and Stations (Continued from Preceding Page)

#### FT. BENNING, GA. August 17, 1935

Maj. and Mrs. J. H. Mellom were hosts at a dinner party given at their quarters on Lumpkin Road Thursday evening. Their guests were Maj. and Mrs. H. H. Noyes, Maj. and Mrs. H. N. Kirkman, Capt. and Mrs. Wilbur Elliott, Capt. and Mrs. W. R. McKinnon, Capt. Clough Gee, Capt. and Mrs. J. A. St. Louis, Capt. and Mrs. E. W. Lewis, Capt. and Mrs. Ford, Capt. and Mrs. Gaylord, Lt. and Mrs. Wesley, Lt. and Mrs. A. B. Foreman, Lt. and Mrs. C. M. Sciple, Lt. and Mrs. Cheatham, Misses Farrell, Lorraine and Olga Noyes.

Lt. and Mrs. R. C. Barlow were hosts at dinner Friday evening in honor of Lt. and Mrs. J. K. Bryan who have been their house guests. Lt. and Mrs. Barlow's guests were Lt. and Mrs. Bryan, Lt. and Mrs. L. A. Hammack, Lt. and Mrs. S. W. Jones, Lt. and Mrs. P. J. Black, Lt. and Mrs. D. W. Quinn and Lt. and Mrs. C. M. Sciple. The party later attended the dance given at the Officers' Club for the visiting Cadets from West Point.

Lt. and Mrs. J. R. Davidson entertained at dinner at the Officers' Club Friday evening preceding the dance given for the visiting Cadets. Their guests were Col. Vernon Oldsmith, Mrs. C. L. Mullins, Maj. and Mrs. P. C. Paschal, Maj. and Mrs. S. A. Gibson, Capt. and Mrs. Robert Schow, Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Johnson, Lt. and Mrs. Ralph Bing, Lt. and Mrs. Richard Parker, Lt. Robert Pearce, Lt. Schepps and Lt. E. C. Wheeler.

Lt. and Mrs. M. E. Meister were hosts at a delightful lawn party at their quarters Saturday evening, honoring Miss Jane and Ann Kraft. Lt. and Mrs. Meister's guests were Misses Peggy and Jane Bell, Elizabeth Evans, Annette Barbot, Mary Homer, Cadets E. C. Dunn, Clement Crockett, W. J. Hanlon, S. E. Smith, Charles Tyler, D. W. Hiestler and J. B. Yost.

Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Schow entertained at the Officers' Club Sunday evening at dinner and dance. Those invited were Lt. and Mrs. Philipp Draper, Lt. Francis Stevens, Lt. and Mrs. James Woolnough, Lt. and Mrs. L. A. Hammack, Lt. and Mrs. P. J. Black, Lt. and Mrs. Elmer Gude and Lt. and Mrs. J. R. Davidson.

Maj. and Mrs. S. J. Rhode entertained at dinner Sunday evening at the dinner-dance at the Officers' Club for their house guests, Maj. and Mrs. J. P. Crawford. Those invited were Maj. and Mrs. M. W. Hall, Maj. and Mrs. J. S. Brummette, Maj. and Mrs. A. G. Kinberger, Maj. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Chase and Miss Dolila Sparks.

#### FT. DAVIS, C. Z. August 8, 1935

Capt. and Mrs. Edwin T. May, Inf., USA, of Ft. Davis, were hosts Saturday night, Aug. 3, for a dinner at the Strangers' Club. The guests included Lt. Col. and Mrs. Thomas E. Scott, MC, USA, Maj. and Mrs. Arthur D. Martin, VC, USA, Mrs. Joseph P. Sullivan, Maj. William S. Eley, Inf., USA, Capt. and Mrs. Hugh A. Wear, Inf., USA, Capt. Fred C. Milner, Inf., USA, Capt. and Mrs. Harold E. Stow, Inf., USA, Capt. and Mrs. Castle H. Farish, Inf., USA, Lt. and Mrs. Clark N. Bailey, Inf., USA, and Lt. and Mrs. Ephraim M. Hampton, Inf., USA.

Maj. John H. Nankivell, Inf., USA, gave an informal dinner for forty-eight, Thursday night, August 1, at the Fort Davis Officers' Club. The dinner preceded the motion picture program at the post's theatre.

Capt. and Mrs. Eugene E. Morrow, Inf., USA, entertained with cocktails at their home on the post before their dinner for fourteen, Thursday night, August 1, at the Fort Davis Officers' Club and had as their guests of honor, Maj. and Mrs. Feodor O. Schmidt, Inf., USA, who will sail August 14 on the Grant for their new post, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Ladies of the garrison at Ft. Davis were guests at an informal reception Wednesday afternoon, August 7, at the home of the chaplain, Maj. Ivan G. Martin, Ch., USA,

who entertained in compliment to his sister, Miss Edna Martin, of Holtwood, Pa., and her friend, Miss Emily Longnecker of Marietta, Pa., who arrived August 2, on the Virginia and will sail August 13, on the California for the east coast.

With the ladies of the garrison were included Mrs. John T. De Bardeleben wife of the chaplain at Ft. Randolph, Mrs. Frank E. Moyer, wife of the chaplain at the Submarine Base, her daughters, the Misses Esther and Frances Moyer, and Mrs. James W. Elder, wife of the chaplain at Ft. Sherman.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles Ennis, Inf., USA, of Ft. Davis, gave a dinner Tuesday night, August 6, to honor Maj. and Mrs. Feodor O. Schmidt, Inf., USA, and Lt. and Mrs. Leonard L. Hilliard, Inf., USA, who will sail August 14 on the Grant. Maj. and Mrs. Schmidt will be stationed at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., and Lt. and Mrs. Hilliard will go to Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.

Capt. and Mrs. Ennis, Inf., USA, entertained Capt. and Mrs. Hugh A. Wear, Inf., USA, Capt. and Mrs. Edward A. Austin, Inf., USA, and Capt. and Mrs. John J. Turner, QMC, USA, with the honored guests.

#### SAN DIEGO, CALIF. August 12, 1935

Lt. Charles A. Dittmar, (ChC), USN, and Mrs. Dittmar entertained with an informal party at their home in Chula Vista in honor of their cousins, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Brenner of Pasadena. About twenty guests were present.

Lt. Lawrence E. Schick, USA, and wife and children are visiting at the home of Lieutenant Schick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David W. Schick.

Lt. (jg) Reginald R. McCracken, USN, and Mrs. McCracken have as house guests in Coronado, Miss Jean Cozine of Washington, D. C., and Miss Jean Robinson of Seattle, Wash. The latter is a sister of Mrs. McCracken.

Maj. and Mrs. Archibald D. Cowley, USA, were week-end guests of Col. James A. Lynch, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Lynch.

Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Eugene S. Lytle, USN, were hosts Wednesday evening at a gay beach party.

Lt. Col. Fred Damman, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Damman have gone to San Francisco for a visit of two weeks. There they will meet their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. George E. Bruner, USA, enroute to Honolulu.

Capt. and Mrs. Cecil E. Archer, USA, stationed at Rockwell Field, have gone north on a motor trip to include Yosemite Valley. Capt. and Mrs. Otto E. Bartoe, USMC, entertained about forty friends at a garden picnic Saturday afternoon in observance of their sixteenth wedding anniversary.

#### FT. HOYLE, MD. August 18, 1935

Mrs. Jay Ward, of Washington, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clyde D. Parmelee, for the past two weeks.

Miss Flora Black, of Columbus, Ohio, who has been visiting friends in Washington was a recent guest of Mrs. S. L. Cowley.

Mrs. Joseph Swing and her son have been visiting Maj. and Mrs. Howard Hume at Ft. Meade.

Mrs. T. F. Hickey spent last week with relatives in Richmond. Captain Hickey, who has just been relieved of CCC duty at Fredericksburg, Va., and Mrs. Hickey returned on Wednesday.

Lt. Bruce von G. Scott, who has been on leave on Long Island, returned on Monday to take command of the flying field at Edgewood Arsenal.

Mrs. Martin Burckes is visiting relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Kitzelman and her daughter, Margery Kitzelman, of Muncie, Ind., were recent guests of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Keatinge.

Mrs. F. H. Morse is visiting friends at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

### Army Confirmations

President Roosevelt sent the following Army nominations to the Senate, Aug. 16, 1935, and they were confirmed Aug. 19.

#### Appointments in the Regular Army Medical Corps

To be first lieutenants from Sept. 1, 1935—1st Lt. Daniel John Walligora, Med. Reg. 1st Lt. Walter Phillip Manning, Med. Reg. 1st Lt. Howard William Doan, Med. Reg. 1st Lt. Robert Weston Boal, Med. Reg. 2d.

#### Appointments by Transfer

To Quartermaster Corps—Capt. Thomas Harry Ramsey, Inf., (detailed in Quartermaster Corps), from Dec. 25, 1927.

To Corps of Engineers—2nd Lt. Clayton Earl Mullins, Inf., from June 13, 1933.

To Cavalry—2nd Lt. Robert Wilkins Rayburn, Inf., from June 13, 1933.

To Field Artillery—1st Lt. William Campbell Bullock, Inf., from Nov. 1, 1934.

#### Promotion

To be colonel—Lt. Col. Thomas James Leary, MC, from Aug. 11, 1935.

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## Army Orders

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### ORDERS TO ENLISTED MEN

1st Sgt. James C. Dawson, previous orders revoked.

### RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

The retirement of the following enlisted men at the place indicated on August 31 is announced:

1st Sgt. Moises Dina, Cav. (PS), Ft. Stotsen-

burg, P. I.

1st Sgt. Julius Henrikson, CAC, Ft. Ste-

venson, Ore.

1st Sgt. Dean W. Stults, CAC, Ft. Mac-

Arthur, Calif.

1st Sgt. James F. Cuddy, DEML, Kansas

City, Mo.

1st Sgt. Edward S. Wimberley, DEML,

Spokane, Wash.

1st Sgt. James Hartnett, Inf., Ft. Sheridan,

Mont.

1st Sgt. Hubert Stokes, QM, Baltimore, Md.

1st Sgt. Charles Schmitz, AC, Mitchel Fld.,

N. Y.

1st Sgt. George E. Hall, Cav., Ft. Myer, Va.,

1st rank of 1st Sgt.

1st Sgt. Alejandro Manabog, Inf. (PS), Ft.

William McKinley, P. I.

1st Sgt. Teodoro De Lema, Inf. (PS), Pettit

Fld., P. I.

1st Sgt. Francisco Sonico, MD (PS), Ft. Stot-

enburg, P. I.

1st Sgt. Columbus E. Burton, FA, Ft. Sill,

Okla.

1st Sgt. Harry F. Arndt, Inf., Jefferson

Bar, Mo.

1st Sgt. John W. Ford, Inf., Ft. Crook,

Nebr.

### RESERVES

Following reserve officers promoted to

grade after name:

2nd Lt. T. E. Reilly, QM-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. T. W. Neely, Inf.-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. J. O'Leary, FA-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. J. H. Joy, QM-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. R. W. Abbott, Jr., Inf.-Res., to

1st Lt.

1st Lt. J. H. Weaver, FA-Res., to Capt.

1st Lt. C. F. Smith, CAC-Res., to Capt.

Capt. H. M. French, Inf.-Res., to Maj.

2nd Lt. A. I. Ivanoff, Air-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. L. A. Bryan, FA-Res., to 1st Lt.

Capt. S. W. Connor, Med.-Res., to Maj.

1st Lt. M. K. Benadum, FA-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. H. E. Roe, Med.-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. A. A. Hansen, FA-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. D. T. Edwards, Jr., FA-Res., to

1st Lt.

2nd Lt. L. F. Buchanan, Inf.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

2nd Lt. W. J. Blythe, Inf.-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. M. J. Charignon, Inf.-Res., to

1st Lt.

2nd Lt. C. K. Thompson, Cav.-Res., to

1st Lt.

2nd Lt. Y. C. Mills, Cav.-Res., to 1st Lt.

Capt. P. E. Mohr, Inf.-Res., to Maj.

1st Lt. E. C. Prosser, Chap.-Res., to Capt.

1st Lt. L. S. Chaplin, Inf.-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. R. P. Stevens, Inf.-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. A. A. Robinson, Cav.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

1st Lt. F. D. Barrett, Inf.-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. B. C. Baron, Med.-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. T. F. McMahon, Cav.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

2nd Lt. J. L. O'Brien, Inf.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

1st Lt. I. T. Sanborn, CA-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. J. E. Dock, QM-Res., to 1st Lt.

1st Lt. L. D. Clerum, Inf.-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. D. E. Graves, Sig.-Res., to 1st Lt.

1st Lt. G. W. Britton, QM-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. J. S. Ruditsky, Inf.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

2nd Lt. M. S. Pierson, Inf.-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. N. Hill, QM-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. W. M. Floyd, FA-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. W. T. Brown, QM-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. T. O. Pardue, Inf.-Res., to 1st Lt.

1st Lt. R. C. Leide, CA-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. J. A. McKerley, Inf.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

2nd Lt. W. B. McCulla, Jr., Inf.-Res., to

1st Lt.

1st Lt. C. P. Brown, Inf.-Res., to Capt.

2nd Lt. L. E. Gaither, Ord.-Res., to 1st Lt.

2nd Lt. L. E. Whitesides, Cav.-Res., to 1st

Lt.

2nd Lt. D. W. Nielson, Inf.-Res., to 1st Lt.

The following reserve officers assigned

active duty as follows:

1st Lt. R. D. Johnson, Den.-Res., to Fitz-

simmons General Hospital, Denver, Col., Aug.

23.

2nd Lt. V. H. Walker, Air-Res., previous

orders revoked.

1st Lt. C. T. Almquist, Spec.-Res., to St.

Louis, Mo., Aug. 18.

Capt. S. M. Gordon, Chem.-Res., to Chi-

cago, Ill., Sept. 3.

1st Lt. E. Gunther, Den.-Res., to Wash-

ington, D. C., Sept. 12, sailing from S. F.,

Sept. 14.

1st Lt. Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., Cav.-Res.,

to Ft. Knox, Ky., Aug. 21.

Maj. Robert Graham, Vet.-Res., to Wash-

ington, D. C., Sept. 9.

Maj. J. M. Fain, Chem.-Res., to Edgewood

Arsenal, Md., Sept. 15.

2nd Lt. S. L. Hauser, Ord.-Res., to Cam-

bridge, Mass., Sept. 8.

Maj. W. L. Purcell, Air-Res., to New

York, N. Y., Sept. 16.

Capt. W. L. Cockrell, Ord.-Res., previous

orders revoked.

Capt. S. G. Parker, Spec.-Res., to San

Francisco, Calif., Sept. 30.

Lt. Col. A. P. Upshur, Med.-Res., to

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 3.

Lt. Col. E. A. Fitzpatrick, Spec.-Res., to

San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 1.

Lt. Col. C. Bolte, San.-Res., to Brooklyn,

N. Y., Sept. 31.

Following 2nd Lt. Air-Res. officers to

March Fld., Calif., Sept. 15: D. O. Darrow;

J. J. Roberts, Jr.

### Naval Reserve Standings

The Acting Secretary of the Navy,

Col. Henry L. Roosevelt, made public

August 21, the annual report of the

President of the Naval Reserve Inspec-

tion Board, Capt. Rufus W. Mathewson,

USN, which has been approved by the

Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, Rear

Adm. Adolphus Andrews, USN.

The report includes the relative stand-

ings of the Naval Reserve units through-

out the country, comments upon their

administration and recommendations for

future training. Fourteen officers of Re-

serve organizations receiving high stand-

ings in their respective classes are re-

commended by the Board to the Secre-

tary of the Navy and to the Chief of

the Bureau of Navigation for letters of

recommendation.

Letters of commendation from the

Secretary of the Navy will be given to

the following officers commanding or-

ganizations having the highest final

merit for the year in their respective

classes:

Lt. Comdr. M. A. Mangan, D-F, USNR,

Commanding the Fifth Fleet Division, Erie,

Pa.

Lt. Comdr. H. R. Harris, E-F, USNR,

Commanding the Eleventh Battalion, St.

Paul, Minn.

Lt. H. L. Jennings, USN, Commanding the

Naval Reserve Aviation Base, Squantum,

Mass.

Lt. A. R. Helm, A-F, USNR, Commanding

the First Division, VN-11RD9 Squadron,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Letters of commendation from the Chief

of the Bureau of Navigation will be given to

the following officers:

Lt. C. E. Wiencke, USN, Instructor of the

Fifth Fleet Division, Erie, Pa., the division

having the highest final merit.

Lt. L. W. Mills, USN, Instructor of the

Eleventh Battalion, St. Paul, Minn., the bat-

talion having the highest final merit.

Lt. R. C. Lowe, Jr., DE-F, USNR, Com-

manding the Thirtieth Fleet Division,

Peoria, Ill., the fleet division having the

second highest final merit.

Lt. (jg) J. H. Moore, E-F, USNR, Com-

manding the Forty-Eighth Fleet Division,

St. Paul, Minn., the fleet having the third

highest final merit.

Lt. J. F. English, D-F, USNR, Command-

ing the Eighteenth Fleet Division, New

Haven, Conn., the fleet division having the

fourth highest final merit.

Lt. A. L. Madden, D-F, USNR, Command-

ing the First Fleet Division, Boston, Mass.,

the fleet division having the fifth highest

final merit.

Comdr. N. W. Pickering, DE-F, USNR,

Commanding the Tenth Battalion, with di-

visions in New Haven, Hartford, and Bridge-

port, Conn., the battalion having the second

highest final merit.

Lt. D. D. Gurley, A-F, USNR, in charge

of Reserve training, Naval Air Station,

Hampton Roads, Va., the aviation unit hav-

ing the highest final merit.

Lt. A. K. Morehouse, USN, Commanding

the Naval Reserve Aviation Base, Miami,

Fla., the aviation base having the second

highest final merit.

Lt. (jg) L. V. Berkner, A-V (G), USNR,

Commanding VN-6R Division, Anacostia,

D. C., Washington Navy Yard, the aviation

division having the second highest final

merit.

### Navy Confirmations

The Navy nominations sent to the Sen-

ate on Aug. 12 and published on page

1100 of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of

Aug. 17, were confirmed by the Senate,

Aug. 19.

### OBITUARIES

The War Department has been notifi-

cied of the death of Brig. Gen. Charles

C. Jamieson, USA-Ret., at Ocala, Fla.,

August 21, 1935.

General Jamieson was born in Glover,

Vt., November 3, 1866. He entered the

U. S. Military Academy, June 16, 1888,

and was graduated in the class of June

11, 1892, with Gen. Charles P. Summer-

all, retired, and commissioned 2nd lieut-

enant of Infantry. He was promoted

through the various grades to major, to

which grade he was promoted on June

25, 1906, and was retired for disability

in line of duty October 12, 1910. Gen-

eral Jamieson was recalled to active

duty on April 13, 1917, and was on duty

in New York City, under the direction

of the Chief of Ordnance, to January

21, 1918; thereafter on same duty as

colonel, Ordnance Department National

Army, to December 17, 1918. He was

promoted brigadier general, U. S. Army,

October 1, 1918, and was on duty in the

Office, Director Purchase, Storage and

Traffic, Washington, D. C., from Decem-

ber, 1918 to January 3, 1919, when at

his own request he was honorably dis-

charged. He was promoted brigadier

general, retired, June 21, 1930.

After his retirement in 1910, he served

as General Superintendent, Walter A.

Wood Mowing and Reaping Machine Co.,

Hoosick Falls, New York, to 1913; Ef-

iciency Engineer and Manager of fac-

ilities of De

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Omaha, Neb.—Capt. Stewart E. Reimel, OD, has been designated Seventh Corps Area Ordnance Officer, vice Col. Townsend Whelen, OD, ordered home to await retirement.

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### Merchant Marine

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August 22 by the Navy League of the  
United States over the signature of Mr.  
N. M. Hubbard, Jr., executive vice-  
president:

"Over thirty years ago, Theodore  
Roosevelt had the vision to foresee and  
the courage to declare that 'The future  
of America is on the seas.'

"The Merchant Marine Bill, HR 8555,  
now pending, is a well-devised and well-  
guarded measure and is political only in  
the broadest and best sense. The sea  
is non-partisan and has few votes to  
offer. Yet it is our only remaining  
frontier—the only new field for conquest  
and development—the only visible reli-  
ance for the future support of the pres-  
ent American standard of living. Time  
is of inestimable value in war and the  
world is now engaged in an economic  
war of unparalleled extent and intensity.  
The objective of this war is foreign  
trade and the heavy artillery of this  
warfare is an efficient Merchant Fleet  
and the naval power to protect that  
Fleet.

"Japan has already built thirty-three  
18-knot cargo ships and tankers and is  
constructing seven more of these ships  
in her shipyards. Both Great Britain  
and Norway have 18-knot cargo ships in  
the Pacific. We have nothing better  
than 12-knot vessels to compete with  
them and not one tanker and no cargo  
ships able to accompany, refuel and sup-  
ply our naval fleet from want of speed  
to keep up with it. Further delay in  
the construction of an efficient American  
Merchant Fleet may prove disastrous.  
The opposition in Congress to the pres-  
ent bill is both small and brittle.

"Today, over ten millions of our peo-  
ple are dependent on foreign commerce  
for their livelihood—three and a half  
millions engaged in crop production that  
must find a foreign market or none—  
over seven millions of our industrial  
population, the products of whose heads  
and hands must find markets abroad  
and many of these products requiring  
the contribution of essential imports to  
their making.

"In normal times the American people  
pay out annually in sea freights on ex-  
ports and imports close to seven hun-  
dred million dollars. In the ten years  
between 1921 and 1930, the people of  
the United States spent nine billions of  
dollars in sea freights and sea passen-  
ger fares of which American ships, be-  
cause competitively inefficient, received  
only three billion dollars. Six billions  
of our money went into foreign pockets  
to help to create favorable balances of  
trade and balance the budgets of foreign  
nations. It is no wonder that the na-  
tions of the world are fighting with all  
the craft and cunning of foreign states-  
manship and with liberal budgets and  
subsidies to build and encourage the op-  
eration of highly efficient ships in order  
to seek and transport foreign commerce.  
What department store could survive if  
required to employ its strongest com-  
petitor to deliver to its customers the  
goods purchased by them? A nation's  
merchant shipping does even more than  
deliver the nation's sales abroad; its  
own success depends equally upon its  
ability to promote these sales.

"Only last week Secretary Wallace  
assured us that 'The A.A.A. has not and  
will not change its goal to restrict our  
products to our own capacity for con-  
sumption and to produce no surplus for  
a foreign market that is lost.' This is  
quite reminiscent of the Indian who,  
found wondering aimlessly around in  
the forest, when asked if he was lost  
replied: 'Injun not lost—wigwam lost.'  
This is the way Mr. Wallace probably  
feels about it and no doubt he will be  
surprised if but few Americans agree  
with him as to which is lost—the for-  
eign market or Mr. Wallace. It seems  
reasonably safe to assume that nothing  
is lost when every factor for its repro-  
duction still exists—even the genius of  
the American people.

"The Merchant Marine Bill is not

based on a defeatist doctrine. It is con-  
structive and assumes that the sun of  
prosperity will reappear in spite of being  
temporarily obscured by the clouds of  
world depression and that we had best  
stake out our place in the sun now and  
get ready for the sunshine.

"It does not seem probable that the  
American people are ready to adopt a  
policy of progressive belittlement and  
starvation nor consent to be plowed  
under by restricted production. That is  
not the way our people built this coun-  
try from a few struggling colonies on  
the Atlantic Coast to the most powerful  
nation of the world.

"We subsidized the building of the  
Union Pacific and other Western rail-  
roads with land grants and conquered  
a wilderness to find untold riches in na-  
tional resources and new developments.  
We subsidized the automobile by spend-  
ing billions of dollars of public money  
in the building of good roads essential  
to its use, which resulted in the creation  
of new avenues of employment, support-  
ing millions of our people.

"We have led the world in practically  
everything except parsimony and pes-  
simism and we shall lead the world in  
foreign trade and sea transport. It will  
be of no avail, no credit and no profit  
to any American to pit his untired  
theories against the vision, experience  
and genius of our race.

"We do not doubt either the patriotism  
or vision of our statesmen in Congress  
but we realize that Congress is a very  
tired body of men, seeking a much  
needed rest. In spite of this, may we  
not hope, knowing as Congress does the  
vital importance of the measure, that it  
will consent to take up and pass this  
bill before adjournment?"

### Weddings and Engagements

(Continued from Page 1134)

USCG, which took place Friday, July  
26, at St. Thomas, Virgin Islands.

Of interest in Navy circles is the en-  
gagement of Miss Margaret Eliason,  
daughter of Capt. Charles W. Eliason,  
(SC), USN-Ret., and Mrs. Eliason, to  
Mr. Charles Edwin Batchelder, son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall Batchelder  
of Portsmouth, N. H.

Miss Eliason is a graduate of Welles-  
ley College and is at present on the  
faculty of the Girls' Latin School of  
Chicago. Mr. Batchelder is a graduate  
of the University of New Hampshire,  
and is in business in Portsmouth.

### Navy Orders

(Continued from Page 1129)

Ch. Mach. Henry J. Behrends, det. Nav.  
Yard, Phila., Pa., about Nov. 20; to USS As-  
toria for duty.

Ch. Mach. Frederick W. Sievert, det. USS  
Astoria about Dec. 7; to duty Nav. Yard,  
Washington, D. C.

Ch. Elec. Paul MacKay, det. USS Utah  
about Feb. 1; to duty Nav. Yard, Puget  
Sound, Wash.

August 21, 1935

Lt. (jg) Luther K. Reynolds, det. Hydro-  
graphic Office, Navy Dept. about August 23;  
to USS Nokomis.

Comdr. Wm. W. Hargrave, (MC), det. Nav.  
Medical School, Wash., D. C., about Oct. 1;  
to 16th Nav. Dist., Cavite, P. I.

Lt. Comdr. John Adam Marsh (MC), det.  
USS Vega; to Navy Rectg. Sta., Baltimore,  
Md.

Lt. Comdr. Everett W. Brown (SC), det.  
Subm. Base, New London, Conn., in Sept.;  
to USS Hannibal as supply officer.

Lt. Comdr. Chester B. Peake, (SC), det.  
USS Hannibal in Oct.; to Navy Yard, New  
York, N. Y.

Lt. Christian P. Schwartz (SC), det. Rec.  
Ship New York in Oct.; to Norfolk Navy  
Yard, Portsmouth, Va.

Lt. (jg) Allan L. Dunning (CC), det. Navy  
Yard, Boston, Mass., about Nov. 1; to Navy  
Yard, Charleston, S. C.

Ch. Gunner Harold T. Petersen, upon  
disch. trmt. Nav. Hosp., Newport, R. I.; to  
USS Arkansas for duty; uncompleted por-  
tion deep. ords. July 3 revoked.

Gunner Amandus J. de Heck, det. USS  
Arkansas about Sept 3; to Nav. Trng. Sta.,  
Newport, R. I.

## FINANCE

### Coast Guard Orders

Lt. G. P. McGowan, detached Nike, on  
about September 20, 1935, and assigned  
Communication Officer, Seattle Division.

Lt. D. D. Hesler, detached Nemesis,  
effective on or about September 20, 1935, and  
assigned line duty Tahoe.

Lt. S. H. Evans, detached Seattle Division  
effective September 20, 1935, and assigned  
as executive officer, Nemesis.

Comdr. L. T. Chalker, promoted to Cap-  
tain, with rank as such from June 1, 1935.

### Financial Digest

The daily average volume of Federal  
Reserve bank credit outstanding during  
the week ending August 14, as reported  
by the Federal Reserve banks, was \$476,000,000, unchanged from the pre-  
ceding week and \$10,000,000 above the  
corresponding week in 1934.

On August 14 total Reserve bank  
credit amounted to \$2,477,000,000, an in-  
crease of \$1,000,000 for the week. The  
increase corresponds with increases of  
\$139,000,000 in member bank reserve  
balances and \$8,000,000 in money in  
circulation and a decrease of \$40,000,000  
in Treasury and national bank currency  
offset in part by decreases of \$157,000,000  
in Treasury cash and deposits with Fed-  
eral Reserve banks and \$4,000,000 in  
non-member deposits and other Federal  
Reserve accounts, and an increase of  
\$26,000,000 in monetary gold stock.  
Member bank reserve balances as of  
August 14 were estimated to be approx-  
imately \$2,670,000,000 in excess of legal  
requirements.

Relatively small changes were re-  
ported in holdings of discounted and  
purchased bills and in industrial ad-  
vances. An increase of \$14,000,000 in  
holdings of United States Treasury notes  
was offset by a decrease of \$14,000,000  
in holdings of Treasury bills.

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## Rogers, Committee Bills

Three bills were reported by the House Military Affairs Committee this week designed to prevent in the future alleged "phases" which the Rogers investigating committee claims exist in the Army. The measures would—

Extend the statute of limitations, as it applies to Army officers only, so charges of frauds or attempted frauds against the Government could be prosecuted up to within ten years from the occurrence of the offense;

Write into law a special prohibition against Army officers accepting fees or compensation of any kind for services in connection with any Government claim, contract or business relation;

Wipe out all existing laws requiring periodic duty with troops and substitute therefore a provision that no officer may serve more than four years in the District of Columbia or be assigned to duty therein until he has served four years outside of the District.

The latter bill, HR 4452, was reported to the committee in spite of sharp criticism from the War Department that it is "a direct infringement on the powers vested in the President as Commander-in-Chief of the armed forces," and is "contrary to the best interests of national defense." The bill prohibiting Army officers from accepting fees, HR 4453, was opposed by the War Department on the ground that existing law already covers such infringements of conduct on the part of all officers and employees of the Government, while the other measure, HR 4454, extending the statute of limitations as to Army officers was favored only on the condition another bill of similar provisions but applying to all Federal officials, is enacted.

Despite the fact that the Rogers' subcommittee reported only two cases in which officers were alleged to have accepted fees from firms doing business with the Government, Representative John J. McSwain, chairman of the Military Committee, in the report accompanying HR 4453, stated "persons dealing with the Government have often-times sought and obtained favors from officials of the War Department in return for favors and bribes of various kinds and descriptions." Again in his report on HR 4454, Chairman McSwain, declaring that the investigation had indicated that the Government had lost millions of dollars through frauds perpetrated against it, said, "Military officers have been parties to and have participated in most of the transactions wherein such frauds have been discovered by your committee, but with one or two exceptions it has been found that the period within which the offenses could be punished by courts martial had run before the frauds were discovered."

Considerable feeling has been aroused in Army circles over these indiscriminate and blanket accusations.

The committee's proposal to wipe out all of the carefully worked out requirements of balanced duty with troops and on the General Staff, because it was possible thereunder for an occasional officer to stay on duty in Washington for several years and possibly "wield an unconscionable and deleterious influence in the conduct of matters relating to the national defense" was hit by the War Department.

"The object of requiring periodic duty in actual command of troops as prerequisite to detail as a member of the General Staff Corps is to insure that officers so serving shall not be too far removed from familiarity with the combat units of the Army," stated Secretary of War Dern in a letter to the committee. "This provision is believed to be eminently wise. The object of requiring that every officer serving in grade below that of brigadier general shall perform duty with troops of one or more of the combatant arms for at least 1 year in every period of 5 consecutive years is to insure a proper rotation of assignment and a well-balanced career, as well as to insure that officers who may be detailed on noncombat assignments maintain a full understanding of the problems that confront combat units.

It prevents a condition of highly specialist service which but for the provision might eventually prevail.

"The proposed bill would revoke an essential provision of law which is applicable to all officers no matter where they are stationed and substitute therefor a provision of law applicable only to officers assigned to or on duty within the District of Columbia. In this connection, it must be remembered that practically two-thirds of the officers detailed as members of the General Staff Corps are on duty such as with corps area and division headquarters, and are at stations other than in the District of Columbia. Furthermore, the proposed change would revoke a law applicable only in time of peace and substitute therefor a law affecting local service in the nation's capital during an emergency as well as in time of peace. It is a direct infringement on the powers vested in the President as Commander-in-Chief of the armed forces, and is deemed contrary to the best interests of national defense.

"The enactment of the proposed legislation into law and a strict interpretation of such law will prevent the assignment of War College graduates to duty on the War Department General Staff until such graduates shall have served 4 years outside of the District after graduation. This would cause the average age of officers on the War Department General Staff to be increased by 4 years, and greatly add to the expense to the Government incidental to replacements for such service. A strict interpretation would further interfere with the administration of War Department business in that officers who are not stationed in the District would not be eligible even for temporary assignments to duty in the District, such as on classification boards and boards of investigation within the District unless such officers had been absent from Washington for the 4 consecutive years immediately preceding such special assignment."

## Army Maneuvers

The largest peace-time maneuvers of the Army were under way with an auspicious start this week, attracting the attention and earning the praise of the entire country.

The most strenuous work, and probably the most important, come late this week and next week.

At the Pine Camp, N. Y., area the Corps engagements, in which each small Corps represents an Army, began on Aug. 23 and continue to include Saturday, Aug. 24. These will be the largest "combat" units in field training, every-one of the 36,000 officers and men, with transportation, hospitalization, supply services and all other units taking part.

Maj. Gen. Fox Conner, normally commanding the First Corps Area, commands the First Corps in this meeting engagement. Opposing his Corps is the Second Corps, also representing a small Army, with Maj. Gen. Lucius R. Holbrook commanding.

Rest will come to the troops Aug. 25, but that night the 62nd Anti-Aircraft regiment and the 97th Observation Squadron will put on their second night demonstration.

Monday, Aug. 26, and Tuesday, Aug. 27, will again see the First and the Second Corps opposing each other.

Wednesday, Aug. 28, will be devoted to unit training under control of the division commanders, and Maj. Gen. Dennis E. Nolan, the Army commander, will hold his critique, which will cover the five exercises that have taken place. That night the third and final night demonstration will be given by the 62nd Anti-Aircraft Regiment and the 97th Observation Squadron, Army Air Corps.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 29, 30 and 31, will see the National Guard units returning to their home stations, Regular Army officers detached from troops returning to their stations, and the remaining Regular Army troops taking down tents, packing and shipping supplies to the various parts of Northeast from whence they came. By Sept. 9 Pine Camp is expected to be an historic memory, the place where was just finished the greatest peace-time field training, with the largest units, in the history of these United States of America.

## III Corps, Indiantown Gap, Pa.

The schedule at the Indiantown Gap, Pa., area is as follows:

## 28th Division

Aug. 24—Field inspection of all troops.  
Aug. 25—Holiday.  
Aug. 26—Training at option of regimental commanders.  
Aug. 27 and 28—The Corps in attack.  
Aug. 29—Muster all troops.  
Aug. 30-31—Optional training and movement to own stations.

## 29th Division (Less Virginia and D. C. Troops)

Aug. 24—Return march from bivouac area.  
Aug. 25—Holiday.  
Aug. 26—Division in defense, advance guard, anti-aircraft protection, selection and occupation of a defensive position.  
Aug. 27-28—Corps exercises—Corps in attack.  
Aug. 29—58th Brigade 1000-inch range practice—Scouting and patrolling—Combat principles.  
Aug. 30-31—Preparation for Federal inspection and Federal inspection. Return home.

## 16th Infantry Brigade

Aug. 24—Inspections.  
Aug. 26—Field training.  
Aug. 27-28—Corps exercises.  
Aug. 29—Command post exercise to be conducted under direction of the Commanding Officer, 12th Infantry.  
Aug. 30—Demonstration field exercise—reinforced war strength battalion in attack.  
Aug. 31—Inspections.

## Review Naval Aviation

Terminating the Fleet Concentration Period, the United States Fleet arrived at San Diego yesterday from San Francisco. As the fleet arrived, an aerial parade of approximately four hundred naval planes was reviewed by Admiral Joseph Mason Reeves, USN, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Fleet, from his flagship, the USS Pennsylvania. With Admiral Reeves was Vice Adm. Henry V. Butler, USN, Commander Aircraft, Battle Force; Rear Adm. William T. Tarrant, USN, Commandant, Eleventh Naval District, and Capt. John H. Towers, USN, Commanding the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif.

## Status of Promotion

## ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) since August 16, 1935.

Last promotion to the grade of Col.—Henry W. Baird, Cav., No. 174, April 29, 1935, A. L. & Dr. Last nomination to the grade of Col.—Henry W. Baird, Cav. Vacancies—6.

Last promotion to the grade of Lt. Col.—James L. Bradley, Inf., No. 1129. Last nomination to the grade of Lt. Col.—James L. Bradley, Inf. Vacancies—3.

Last promotion to the grade of Major—DeWitt C. Smith, Jr., Inf., No. 3745. Last nomination to the grade of Major—DeWitt C. Smith, Jr., Inf. Vacancies—14.

Last promotion to the grade of Capt.—Harold V. Roberts, Inf., No. 7358. Last nomination to the grade of Capt.—Harold V. Roberts, Inf. Vacancies—None.

Last promotion to the grade of 1st Lt.—Erskine Clark, CAC, No. 9259. Last nomination to the grade of 1st Lt.—Erskine Clark, CAC, No. 9259. Vacancies—None.

## Non-Promotion List

Last promotion to Capt. in Dental Corps—1st Lt. Robert E. Hammersberg. Last promotion to Capt. in Vet. Corps—1st Lt. George T. Price. Last promotion to 1st Lt. in Vet. Corps—2nd Lt. William F. Collins. Last promotion to Col. in Corps of Chaplains—Lt. Col. Julian E. Yates, USA. Last promotion to Capt. in Corps of Chaplains—1st Lt. Hudson B. Phillips, USA.

## NAVY PROMOTION STATUS

August 23, 1935

The following are the last officers who either have been commissioned in or have

become due for promotion to the various grades and ranks in the Navy.

## Line

Rear Adm. John Downes, Capt. J. W. Rankin, Comdr. Scott Umstead, Lt. Comdr. R. W. M. Graham, Lt. W. G. Beecher.

## Medical Corps

Rear Adm. C. St. J. Butler, Capt. G. W. Calver, Comdr. J. H. Robbins, Lt. Comdr. Fred M. Rohow, Lt. Clifford W. Moore.

## Dental Corps

Comdr. H. R. McCleery, Lt. Comdr. Raymond D. Reid, Lt. Walter P. Caruthers.

## Supply Corps

Rear Adm. George G. Selbela, Capt. John H. Knapp, Comdr. C. L. Austin, Lt. Comdr. David W. Robinson, Lt. William L. Patton, Lt. (jg) George A. Johnson.

## Chaplain

Capt. Edward A. Duff, Comdr. Thomas L. Kirkpatrick, Lt. Comdr. Stanton W. Salisbury, Lt. Emmett O'Neill.

## Construction Corps

Rear Adm. Richard M. Watt, Capt. Allan J. Chantry, Jr., Comdr. C. F. Osborn, Lt. Comdr. Calvin M. Bolster, Lt. John H. Spiller.

## Civil Engineer Corps

Rear Adm. Reuben E. Bakenhus, Capt. R. M. Warfield, Comdr. L. B. Combs, Lt. Comdr. Chas. T. Dickerman, Lt. William B. Howard.

## MARINE CORPS PROMOTION STATUS

August 23, 1935

Last Commissioned Last to make number

## Major General

Charles H. Lyman Charles H. Lyman

## Brigadier General

James T. Buttrick James T. Buttrick

## Colonel

Samuel M. Harrington Julian C. Smith

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### Badge for Reserve Officers

The War Department has authorized members of the Officers' Reserve Corps of the United States Army to wear as a part of the uniform a new "Minute Man" badge, the design of which has just been officially approved. The design is a drawing of the Minute Man, Captain John Parker, superimposed on a conventionalized eagle and bearing the inscription "Officers' Reserve Corps." The governing authority is contained in Circular No. 48, now being distributed, as follows:

1. For purposes of identification and designation, members of the Officers' Reserve Corps are authorized to wear, as part of the uniform, an identification badge. The description of the badge and the rules governing its wearing are contained in the following regulations. This badge will not be issued by the War Department but may be purchased from authorized dealers in accordance with paragraph 4, AR 600-90.

2. Changes in AR 600-35 and 600-40.—Pending the printing of changes in AR 600-35, December 31, 1926, and AR 600-40, June 22, 1931, the following changes in those regulations are published:

a. AR 600-35.—Paragraph 43½ is added as follows:

43½. **Badge for Identification, Officers' Reserve Corps.**—The Minute Man (Captain John Parker) in colored enamel superimposed on a modernistic silver eagle, which is supported on a three-arched ribbon bearing the inscription "Officers' Reserve Corps." Pendant from this scroll a silver bar marked "5 Years", "10 Years", "15 Years", etc., in five-year periods. For those possessing a certificate of capacity, the background of the bar to be red enamel. Height 1½ inches.

b. AR 600-40.—Paragraph 50b is changed by adding a new subparagraph (3) as follows and by changing the designation of the present subparagraph (3) to (4):

3. **Badge for Identification, Officers' Reserve Corps.**—For five-year periods of continuous service in the Officers' Reserve Corps, an identification badge, with a pendant bar indicating the last five-year period of service, may be worn. If a certificate of capacity has been awarded, the pendant bar will be red.

### Vetoes Class B Transfer Bill

President Roosevelt on Aug. 21 vetoed a bill which would have authorized him to order 1st Lt. John W. Beck, USA-Ret, before an Army retiring board, to determine whether at the time of his retirement under Section 24b of the National Defense Act, he was physically disabled for active service as the result of an incident thereto, and if so found to place him on the retired list in Class A instead of Class B.

"From the facts in this case on record in the War Department, I find that John W. Beck's retirement was accomplished in strict accordance with the provisions of existing law and his rights were duly safeguarded," the President stated. "The records clearly indicate that he had no incapacitating disability at the time of his retirement, but was retired under the provisions of Section 24b of the National Defense Act, as amended, because of unfavorable records of service. Therefore, I can see no reason for singling him out for preferential treatment at this time for the purpose of changing his retired status and thereby increasing his compensation."

The President on the same day vetoed a bill which would have placed an emergency officer during the World War on the retired list of the Regular Army. The bill was for the benefit of Harry T. Herring, a graduate of West Point, class of 1905, who served during the World War as a lieutenant colonel and who later was on the Emergency Officers' Retired List. In his veto message, President Roosevelt said:

"In view of the foregoing, I do not consider that this former emergency officer is entitled to the benefits of the Regular Army retired list. It would be unjustly discriminatory to place him on the retired list of the Army, when many others in similar circumstances are denied equal consideration. The retirement system of the Regular Army was provided for the two-fold purpose of attracting desirable permanent personnel to the service and of vitalizing the active list. Its maintenance for such purpose is vital to the national defense and should not be jeopardized by utilizing it as a means of relief, or for plac-

ing upon such retired list persons other than the permanent personnel of the military establishment."

### Committee Fights Vetoes

Aroused over repeated presidential vetoes of private bills, the Senate Committee on Military Affairs plans to go to President Roosevelt and endeavor to reach an understanding with him in the matter.

Since he first took office, President Roosevelt has almost invariably vetoed all bills seeking to correct someone's military record or to reverse the action of the military or naval authorities in individual cases. Members of Congress contend that in so doing, he has been blindly following the recommendations of the War and Navy Departments and has not been giving consideration to the evidence produced by the committees of Congress.

Senator Sheppard, chairman of the Senate Military Committee speaking on the floor of the Senate, Aug. 18 said:

"The War Department, as a matter of policy, opposes all these bills, because they endeavor by legislation to change what is in the records of the Department. The Committee on Military Affairs goes behind the records, examines all facts, old and new, acts somewhat as a court of equity, and endeavors to do

justice in view of developments at and since the time of the occurrences in question.

"The committee has been very much concerned about the course of the President in reference to some of these bills.

"It seems that he follows mainly the recommendations of the executive agencies and that the War Department, having already reported to the committee against the bills on account of its precedents and policies, so advises the President after the bills have passed.

"In a majority of instances the committee agrees with the War Department and tables the bills unfavorably reported by the Department.

"When the committee, after investigating, reaches a different conclusion from that of the Department, or other executive agency concerned, the President's attention does not seem to have been called to what the committee has found, and we are contemplating an endeavor to reach some understanding with him as to procedure in the future.

"Shall we have the executive departments and agencies legislate for Congress, or shall Congress exercise its own will in these matters?"

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### Neutrality Resolutions

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